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Arthur S. Little Jr.

Silhouettist: James Hosley Whitcomb

Town of New London
New Hampshire



Annual Reports

Of The Town Officers,

Boards and

Other Agencies

For Year Ending
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TOWN OF NEW LONDON

Incorporated Anno Domini 1779

Population (1950 Census) 1484

Population (1960 Census) 1738

Population (1970 Census) 2236

Second Congressional District

Second Councilor District

Seventh State Senatorial District

United States Senators

John A. Durkin of Manchester through 1980

Gordon Humphrey of Sunapee through 1984

Representative in Congress

James C. Cleveland of New London through 1980

Representatives to General Court

Peter Allen of Wilmot through 1980

William F. Kidder of New London through 1980

Hannah Clements of New London through 1980

TOWN OFFICIALS

Selectmen

Alf E. Jacobson, '79, Chairman
Harry B. Harris, Jr., '80
Robert G. MacMichael, '81

Treasurer

Benjamin L. Bucklin

Deputy Treasurer

Chandler M. Perkins

Town Clerk

William F. Kidder

Tax Collector

Isabella D. Hunter

Deputy Tax Collector

Betty A. Miller

Moderator

Laurence R. Spaulding

Auditor

Anna May Eberhardt

Road Agent

Gerald C. Prescott

State Road Foreman

Earl G. Burns

District Court

George O. Shovan, Justice
F. Graham McSwiney, Special Justice
Margaret Abbott, Clerk

Town Health Officer

Guy F. Williams, Jr.
Donald W. Clark, Consultant

Trustees of Trust Funds

Ernest E. Welch, '80, Chairman
John J. Kiernan, '79
Richard N. Brady, '81

Sewer Commission

Arthur S. Little, Jr., '81, Chairman
H. Sumner Stanley, '79
Leslie W. Shaw, '80

Cemetery Commission

Frederick W. Phillips, '79, Chairman
Henry J. Homan, Jr., '80
Walton W. Chadwick, '81

Public Library Trustees

Jane W. Wood, '79, Chairman
Nancy H. Nichols, '79
Lois C. Bitter, '80
Randle H. Gillespie, '80
Charles P. Gilson, '81
Emerson Greenaway, '81

Supervisors of the Checklist

Frederick W. Phillips, '80
Kenneth M. Rich, '82
Barbara A. Kristl, '83

Ballot Clerks

Arthur S. Little, Jr.
Adrienne G. Campbell
Dana M. Stanley
Mary N. Wright

Tree Warden

Wilfred S. Davis (deceased)

Civil Defense

Stuart F. Sidmore, Jr.

Welfare Officer

Bradford C. White

Budget Committee

David H. Kidder, '79, Chairman
Alf E. Jacobson, (Selectman member)
George D. Buckner, '79
Helen C. Preston, '79 (resigned)
Francis C. Chandler, '80
Gerald C. Sprague, '80
Dennis E. Hayward, '80 (resigned)
Kathleen Bianchi, '80 (appointed)
Lois Shaw, '80 (appointed)
William T. Andrews, '81
Heidi K. Lauridsen, '81
Richard E. Mann, Jr., '81

Planning Board

Marshall P. Hoke, '80, Chairman
William G. Dodge, '81, Secretary
Harry B. Harris (Selectman member)
Conservation Commission Member (Varying)
Helen C. Preston, '81
Wade B. Weathers, Jr., '82
Wesley G. Nichols, '83
Marilyn B. Andrews - Alternate

Zoning Board of Adjustment

Boyd H. Carr, '81, Chairman
Anna E. Rich, '82, Secretary
Alfred J. Pattison, '79
Gerald C. Prescott, '80
Charles H. Marston, '83

Alternates, Zoning Board of Adjustment

Robert C. Lull
Priscilla W. Ohler
John H. Preston
Beverly R. Little
Leslie W. Shaw

Water Precinct Commissioners

Laurence R. Spaulding, '79, Chairman
John J. Kiernan, '80
Kenneth M. Rich, '81

Town History and Archives Committee

J. Duane Squires, Chairman
Carlton F. Barton
Dorothea G. Bewley
William F. Kidder, Jr.
Robert M. Lovely, Jr.
Mary D. Haddad
Harold F. Smith
Mildred C. Tunis

Fire Chief

Laurids T. Lauridsen

Forest Fire Wardens

Laurids T. Lauridsen, Warden
Kenneth A. Butler, First Deputy Warden
Kenneth M. Rich, Second Deputy Warden
H. Sumner Stanley, Third Deputy Warden

Board of Fire Engineers

Robert M. Lovely, '79
Francis C. Chandler, '80
Clement W. Lovering, '81

Police Department

Walter A. Reney, Chief
Ralph E. Marshall, Sergeant
Stuart F. Sidmore, Jr., Patrolman
Herbert W. West, III, Patrolman

Special Officers

Charles C. Bailey
Harry N. Barrett
Richard H. Cushing
Elmer G. DeLaat
Howard P. Eaton
George F. Langwasser

New London Central Dispatch

Suzanne M. Cushing
Kimberly Galluzzo
Robert A. Jones

Part-Time Dispatchers

Harry N. Barrett
Craig Galluzzo
Elmer DeLaat

Conservation Commission

Marilyn B. Andrews, '81, Chairman
Dana M. Stanley, '79 Secretary (resigned)
Katharine T. Murray, '79 (appointed)
Esther M. Currier, '79
Wilfred S. Davis, '80 (deceased)
James B. Robjent, '81 (appointed)
Richard H. Millar, '81

Recreation Commission

Patricia D. Kelsey, '79, Chairman
Wesley G. Nichols, '80
Richard W. Rodgers, '80
Margaret L. Gay, '81
Ann S. Beardsley, '81

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

During 1978 the Board has dealt with regular duties and, in addition, many special problems. The Board issued 15 permits for new housing, 86 permits for building alterations, and 12 advertising sign permits. The Board accepted one new road, opening up another area for new housing construction. This addition, of course, adds to the responsibilities of the Road Agent and Town Highway Crew.

Current Use applications continue to increase. In 1975 there were 46 parcels of land in Current Use. In 1978 there were 102 parcels approved under the guidelines established by the Current Use Advisory Board. A total of 3466.77 acres are now under Current Use, representing an original assessed valuation of $3,031,770. Through change to Current Use, the assessed valuation drops to $202,160. This means a loss in revenue to the town of $48,607.83.

Requests for abatement of property taxes continue to increase as both property values and town costs continue to increase. The Board continues the policy of denying these requests unless the Department of Revenue Administration, upon review, proposes changes in the assessment. Applicants for abatement, of course, have the ofpportunity to appeal to the State board of Taxation or Superior Court.

The Board has been involved with the Sewer Commissioners in seeking to clear the way for construction of the interceptor line to Sunapee. Hopefully, the agreed settlement of a court suit among the various parties will clear the way for construction to begin in the late spring.

The Board made the following appointments during 1978:

Recreation Commission: Ann Beardsley, Margaret L. Gay
Conservation Commission: James Robjent, Katherine Murray
Zoning Board of Appeals: Charles Marston, Beverly Little
Deputy Tax Collector: Betty Miller
Police Department: Herbert West III
Forest Fire Warden: Laurids Lauridsen

Increasingly, town government becomes involved in the complexities of its relationships with federal, state, and county

government. Federal regulations for revenue sharing now require an independent audit of all our financial statements instead of audit by the traditional town elected auditor. Again, beginning with 1978 the Board must impose a penalty for failure to file timely the Property Inventory forms. This is a requiremnt each year, and the Board wishes to encourage property owners to file their inventory form prior to April 15, 1979.

More important for the town financing is that as the financial pressures increase on the State, the tendency in Concord is to reduce the flow of money to towns and, thereby, increase the local tax burden. The 1978 interest and dividends tax return to the town was reduced to $137,550.45 from $162,138.14 received in 1977 because of a state action changing the formula for distribution. The difference of $24,587.69 had to be made up by local taxation.

The Board wishes to express its thanks to the members of the Town Hall Refurbishers Committee for their efforts in making our fine town hall more attractive in time for New London's Bicentennial. Through various money-raising activities, the Committee garnered funds for the purchase of 201 new chairs, a new stage curtain, movie screen, pull-up shades, new lighting arrangements.

Finally, New London mourned the passing of an excellent town officer, Wilfred "Slim" Davis, Tree Warden of the Town. The Board remembers him with appreciation for his work.

Respectfully submitted,

ALF E. JACOBSON
Chairman
HARRY B. HARRIS, JR.
ROBERT G. MacMICHAEL
Board of Selectmen

SELECTMEN'S REPORT
Summary of Inventory

	1977	1978
Land	$29,145,400	$29,349,390
Buildings	45,446,400	48,311,200
Electric Plants	1,512,450	1,524,600
Boats	140,500	157,650
TOTAL VALUATION	$76,244,750	$79,342,840
Less: School Dining Room, Dormitory and Kitchen Expenses	150,000	150,000
Blind and Elderly Exemptions	40,800	125,000
Net Valuation	$76,053,950	$79,067,840

NEW LONDON WATER SYSTEM PRECINCT

	Equalized value	
	1977	1978
Land	$12,370,375	$12,471,600
Buildings	31,038,125	33,273,500
TOTAL VALUATION	$43,408,500	$45,745,100
Less: School Dining Room, Dormitory and Kitchen Exemptions	150,000	150,000
Blind and Elderly Exemptions	25,000	60,000
Net Valuation	$43,233,500	$45,535,100

1978
APPROPRIATIONS, CREDITS, TAX RATE

General Government	
Town Officers Salaries	$ 18,250.00
Town Officers Expenses	19,100.00
Election and Registration Expenses	3,000.00
District Court Expenses	18,900.00
Town Hall and Other Town Buildings Expenses	20,000.00
Reappraisal of Property	3,000.00
Tax Map	3,000.00
Protection of Persons and Property	
Police Department	75,238.00
Fire Department	22,150.00
Dispatch Service	33,357.00
Care of Trees	3,500.00
Planning Board	5,850.00
Zoning Board of Adjustment	200.00
Insurance	32,500.00
Civil Defense	1,800.00
Conservation Commission	3,000.00
Health	
Health Department	2,600.00
Hospital	12,500.00
Ambulance	12,965.00
Visiting Nurse	3,413.00
Vital Statistics	250.00
Town Dumps	27,875.00
Highways and Bridges	
Town Road Aid	984.00
Town Maintenance (Incl. Highway Subsidy)	167,196.00
Improvement and Construction	15,000.00
Street Lighting	10,500.00
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	7,620.00
Library	23,000.00
Public Welfare	
Old Age Assistance	1,500.00
Aid to Permanently and Totally Disabled	4,000.00
Community Action Program	1,130.00
Patriotic Purposes	
Memorial Day	250.00
Town History and Archives Committee	1,000.00
New London Bicentennial Committee	5,000.00
Recreation	
Parks and Beaches	7,725.00

Public Service Enterprises	
Sewer Commission	49,975.00
Cemeteries	6,500.00
Hydrant Service	2,525.00
Unclassified	
Damages and Legal Expenses, Incl. Dogs	75,000.00
Chamber of Commerce	1,050.00
Employees Retirement and Social Security	23,000.00
Contingency Fund	10,194.00
Debt Service	
Principal - Long Term Notes and Bonds	34,142.00
Interest - Long Term Notes and Bonds	16,741.00
Capital Outlay	
New Equipment - Highway	28,400.00
New Equipment - Other	53,650.00
Sewer Construction	1,399,450.00
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	2,267,980.00
Less: Estimated Revenues and Credits	
From Local Taxes:	
Resident Taxes	15,040.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	150.00
Yield Taxes	1,562.00
From State:	
Meals and Rooms Tax	14,818.00
Interest and Dividends Tax	137,550.00
Savings Bank Tax	15,557.00
Highway Subsidy	17,347.00
Highway Subsidy Additional	9,949.00
Town Road Aid	6,562.00
Reimb. a/c Road Toll Refund	4,000.00
From Local Sources, Except Taxes:	
Dog Licenses	1,000.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	250.00
District Court Fines	25,000.00
Rent of Town Property	1,800.00
Interest on Deposits and Taxes	9,000.00
Income From Trust Funds	1,500.00
Income From Departments	5,000.00
Income From Sewer Commission	28,019.00
Motor Vehicle Permits Fees	60,000.00
Sale of Town Property	2,500.00
Miscellaneous Income	200.00
Sewer Revenue	49,975.00

Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:	
Proceeds of Bonds and Long Term Notes	1,399,450.00
Revenue Sharing Funds	32,650.00
TOTAL REVENUES AND CREDITS	1,838,879.00
Total Town Appropriations	2,267,980.00
Total Revenues and Credits	1,838,879.00
Net Town Appropriations	429,101.00
Net School Appropriations	827,461.60
County Tax Assessments	190,457.00
Total of Town, School and County	1,447,019.60
Deduct Total Business Profits Tax Reimbursement	14,801.00
Add War Service Credits	15,500.00
Add Overlay	15,036.44
Property Taxes to be Raised	1,462,755.04

Tax Rate Approved by	
Dept. of Revenue Administration—	
$18.50 per $1,000.00 Assessed Value:	
Municipal	$ 5.80
County	2.40
School	10.30
	$18.50

NEW LONDON WATER SYSTEM PRECINCT

Valuation	$ 45,535,100.00
Net Appropriations	33,574.85
Taxes	36,428.08
Tax Rate Approved by Dept. of Revenue Administration—	
$.80 per $1,000.00 Assessed Value	

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall. Land and Building	$ 114,050.00
Furniture and Equipment	11,930.34
Library, Land and Building	117,400.00
Furniture and Equipment, Books	141,453.58
Police Department, Equipment	19,831.74
Dispatch Service, Equipment	988.00
Fire Department, Land and Building	95,100.00
Equipment	153,427.27
Highway Department, Land and Building	61,450.00
Equipment	159,285.16
Ambulance and Equipment	17,000.00
Civil Defense, Equipment	2,284.90
Conservation Commission, Equipment	212.49
Tree Department, Equipment	389.95
Former Town Dump Area	4,250.00
Sanitary Landfill and Buidlings, Mountain Road	44,250.00
Disposal Area, Land only, Mountain Road	38,800.00
Landfill and Recycling Equipment	28,458.95
Bucklin Beach, Land and Building	36,000.00
Elkins Beach, Land and Building	70,450.00
Beach Equipment	5,480.11
Elkins Dam	15,300.00
Pleasant Lake and Elkins Road, Land only	4,850.00
Land only, off Lamson Road, Elkins, "Old Dam Site"	2,000.00
Philbrick - Cricenti Bog	12,650.00
Backland, off South Pleasant Street (Barrett Land)	8,200.00
Main and South Pleasant Streets,	
Land and Buildings	60,250.00
Academy Lots	2,050.00
Sewer Commission, Land and Buildings	42,300.00
Cleveland Land, County Road	3,150.00
Backland, off Moutain Road (Sewer Commission)	11,000.00
Hospital Land to Conservation Commission	4,400.00
(Lyon Brook)	
Land only, Route 114	800.00
Land only, Pearl Street	7,450.00
Wilmot Center Road, Land and Buildings	6,850.00
Shaker Pines Land	7,150.00
Town History Books	2,025.00
TOTAL	$ 1,312,717.49

Backland off South Pleasant Street (Barrett Land)	8,200.00
Main and South Pleasant Streets, Land and Bldgs.	60,250.00
Academy Lots	2,050.00
Sewer Commission, Land and Buidlings	42,300.00
Cleveland Land, County Road	3,150.00
Backland off Mountain Road (Sewer Commission)	11,000.00
Hospital Land to Conservation Comm. (Lyon Brook)	4,400.00
Land Only, Route 114	800.00
Land Only, Pearl Street	7,450.00
Wilmot Center Road Land and Buildings	6,850.00
Shaker Pines Land	7,150.00
Town History Books	2,025.00
TOTAL	$ 1,312,717.49

STATEMENT OF BONDED DEBT
Town of New London
(Bonded Debt Of The School Is Not Included)

Maturities	Sewer Notes Plant Imp. July, 1968 Original Amt. $70,000 - 4½%	Sewer Construc. April 1, 1973 Original Amt. $395,000 - 5%
1979	$5,000.00	$20,000.00
1980	5,000.00	20,000.00
1981	5,000.00	20,000.00
1982	5,000.00	20,000.00
1983		20,000.00
1984		20,000.00
1985		20,000.00
1986		20,000.00
1987		20,000.00
1988		20,000.00
1989		20,000.00
1990		20,000.00
1991		20,000.00
1992		20,000.00
1993		15,000.00

TOWN OF NEW LONDON
LONG TERM INDEBTEDNESS

Comparative Balance Sheets
December 31, 1977 and December 31, 1978

Amount to be provided for Retirement
of Long Term Debt

	1977	1978
Due from General Fund —		
Town's Share	$ 127,892	$ 112,500
Due from Sewer Commission	221,250	202,500
TOTAL ASSETS	349,142	315,000
Long Term Debt Outstanding		
Sewer Notes Plant Imp. — 1968	25,000	20,000
Fire House Land and Building — 1971	9,142	— 0 —
Sewer Construction Bonds — 1973	315,000	295,000
TOTAL LIABILITIES	349,142	315,000

BALANCE SHEET
As of December 31, 1978

ASSETS

Cash on Hand	$178,384.25	
Revenue Sharing	16,051.23	
Conserv. Comm. Continuing Fund	1,232.41	
Antirecession Fiscal Assist. Fund	149.75	
Yield Tax Security Deposits	1,271.24	$197.088.88
Accounts Due Town:		
Resident Taxes-Previous Years	2,410.00	
Yield Tax, 1977-1978	585.21	
Property Taxes-1978	279.985.60	
Land Use Change Tax	2,000.00	
Due From Sewer Commission	58,341.37	
Accounts Receivable	34.02	343,356.20
T.R.A.-Joint Highway Contr.		2,792.25
Total Assets		$543,237.33

LIABILITIES

Unexpended Balance of Appropriations		
Sewer Construction	$23,407.37	
Elkins Dam	1,692.51	
New Equipment	1,000.00	$26,099.88
Accounts Payable		4,200.00
Unexpended Revenue Sharing Funds		16,051.23
Unexpended Antirecession Funds		149.75
Yield Tax Deposits (Escrow Acct.)		1,271.24
Due State of N.H.:		
2% Bond & Debt Retirement Tax-uncollected		97.53
2% Bond & Debt Retirement Tax-Collected-Not Remitted		4.40
School District Taxes Payable		347,461.60
T.R.A. Joint Constr. Acct. (Contra.)		2,792.25
Current Surplus		145,109.45
Total Liabilities		$543,237.33

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES
Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1978

Title of Appropriation	Appropriations	Receipts and Reimbursements	Total Amount Available	Expenditures	Unexpended Balance	Overdrafts
Town Officers Salaries	$ 18,250.00	$	$ 18,250.00	$ 18,628.32	$	$ 378.32
Town Officers Expenses	19,100.00		19,100.00	21,570.40		2,470.40
Election and Registration Expenses	3,000		3,000.00	1,685,64	1,314.36	
District Court Expenses	18,900.00		18,900.00	18,846.17	53.83	
Expenses of Town Hall and Other Town Buildings	20,000.00		20,000.00	20,882.31		882.31
Reappraisal of Property	3,000.00		3,000.00	4,456.26		1,456.26
Tax Map	3,000.00		3,000.00	4,587.50		1,587.50
Police Department	75,238.00	93.58	75.331.58	78,456.53		3,124.95
Fire Department	22,150.00	41.20	22,191.20	22,146.68	44.52	
Dispatch Service	33,357.00	68.74	33,425.74	33,981.11		555,37
Care of Trees	3,500.00		3,500.00	3,345.00	155.00	
Planning Board	5,850.00		5,850.00	5,808.60	41.40	
Zoning Board	200.00		200.00	129.91	70.09	
Insurance	32.500.00	948.00	33,448.00	30,415.52	3,032.48	
Civil Defense	1,800.00		1,800.00	1,606.39	193.61	
Conservation Commission	3,000.00		3,000.00	3,000.00	00.00	
Health Department	2,600.00		2,600.00	2,100.00	500.00	
Hospital	12,500.00		12,500.00	12,500.00	00.00	
Ambulance	12,965.00	250.22	13,215.22	13,506.67		291.45
Visiting Nurse	3,412.50		3,412.50	3,412.50	000.00	
Vital Statistics	250.00		250.00	164.75	85.25	
Town Dump Maintenance	27,875.00	22.67	27,897.67	34.639.48		6,741.81
Town Road Maintenance	139,900.00	134.66	140,034.66	140,071.55		36.89
Highway Subsidy	17,346.71		17,346.71	17,346.71	00.00	

Highway Subsidy Additional	9,949.45	(298.28)	9,651.17	9,651.17	00.00	
Special Road Improvement	15,000.00		15,000.00	14,861.79	138.21	
Town Road Aid	984.24		984.24	984.24	00.00	
Street Lighting	10,500.00		10,500.00	10,931.34		431.34
General Expenses of Highway Department	7,620.00		7,620.00	6,547.38	1,072.62	
Library	23,000.00		23,000.00	23,000.00	00.00	
Old Age Assistance	1,500.00		1,500.00	589.63	910.37	
Aid to Permanently and Totally Disabled	4,000.00		4,000.00	2,625.79	1,374.21	
Community Action Program	1,129.95		1,129.95	1,129.95	00.00	
Patristic Purposes - Memorial Day	250.00		250.00	250.00	00.00	
Recreation - Parks and Beaches	7,725.00	*1,449.76	9,174.76	8,950.27	224.49	
Hydrant Service	2,525.00		2,525.00	2,435.00	50.00	
Cemeteries	6,500.00		6,500.00	6,500.00	00.00	
Damages and Legal Expenses	75,000.00		75,000.00	61,673.05	13,326.95	
Information Booth	1,050.00		1,050.00	1,050.00	00.00	
Employees Retirement and Social Security	23,000.00	5.50	23,005.50	22,193.13	812.37	
Contingency Fund	10,194.00		10,194.00	00.00	10,194.00	
Town History and Archives Committee	1,000.00		1,000.00	594.40	405.60	
New London Bicentennial Committee	5,000.00		5,000.00	4,454.15	545.85	
Long Term Indebtedness	34,142.00		34,142.00	34,142.00	00.00	
Interest - Long Term Notes and Bonds	16,740.68		16,740.68	16,740.68	00.00	
New Equipment - Highway Department	28,400.00		28,400.00	24,490.50	3,909.50	
- Police Department	5,150.00		5,150.00	5,131.74	18.26	
- Fire Department	48,000.00		48,000.00	47,000.00	1,000.00	
- Other	500.00	**1,000.00	1,500.00	1,053.60	446.40	
Elkins Dam		***1,700.00	1,700.00	7.49	1,692.51	
TOTALS	$ 818,554.53	$ 5,416.05	$823,970.58	$800,315.30	$ 41,611.88	$ 17,956.60
New Unexpended Balance of Appropriations					$ 23,655.28	

*1977 Appropriation Balance	949.76
Received from Red Cross	500.00
	1,449.76

**1977 Appropriation
***Appropriation (Gift)

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

Regular Account		
Cash on Hand, January 1, 1978	$ 138,194.04	
Amount received from January 1, 1978 to December 31, 1978	3,101,086.59	
		3,239,280.63
Amount paid out from January 1, 1978 to December 31, 1978	3,060,896.38	
Cash on Hand, December 31, 1978	178,384.25	
		3,239,280.63
Regular Sewer Account		
Cash on Hand, January 1, 1978	33,133.39	
Amount received from January 1, 1978 to December 31, 1978	108,625.21	
		141,758.60
Amount paid out from January 1, 1978 to December 31, 1978	127,200.57	
Cash on Hand, December 31, 1978	14,558.03	
		141,758.60
Construction Sewer Account		
Cash on Hand, January 1, 1978	85,745.87	
Amount received from January 1, 1978 to December 31, 1978	251,839.80	
		337,585.67
Amount paid out from January 1, 1978 to December 31, 1978	255,510.00	
Cash on Hand, December 31, 1978	82,075.67	
		337,585.67
Federal Revenue Sharing Account		
Cash on Hand, January 1, 1978	17,623.84	
Amount received from U.S. Government from January 1, 1978 to December 31, 1978	30,068.00	
Interest earned	1,009.39	
		48,341.23
Amount paid out - Retirement of Long Term Debt	32,650.00	
Cash on Hand, December 31,1978	16,051.23	
		48,341.23
Conservation Commission Account		
Cash on Hand, January 1, 1978	5,839.05	
Town of New London, 1978 Appropriation	772.84	
Interest earned	120.52	
		6,732.41

Purchase of Land — Harold Buker	5,500.00	
Cash on Hand, December 31, 1978	1,232.41	
		6,732.41
Anti-Recession Account		
Cash on Hand, January 1, 1978	142.48	
Interest earned	7.27	
Cash on Hand, December 31, 1978		149.75
Yield Tax Security Deposits		
Cash on Hand, January 1, 1978	132.52	
Deposits received	1,326.60	
Interest earned	8,54	
		1,467.66
Yield taxes realized	196.42	
Cash on Hand, December 31, 1978	1,271.24	
		1,467.66

REPORT OF THE TOWN CLERK
For fiscal year ending December 31, 1978

ISSUE OF DOG LICENSES:

4 Licenses for 1977	$ 16.70
367 Licenses for 1978	1,292.60
	$ 1,309.30

ISSUE OF AUTO PERMITS:

3,110 permits	74,218.50

FILING FEES:

Town Meeting and September Primary	33.00

SALE OF TOWN HISTORY:

44 Copies at $5.00	220.00
Total Receipts	$ 75,775.80
Paid Town Treasurer	75,775.80

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM F. KIDDER
Town Clerk

SUMMARY OF WARRANTS

PROPERTY, RESIDENT AND YIELD TAXES
LEVY OF 1978

— DR. —

Taxes Committed to Collector:			
Property Taxes	$1,483, 549.11		
Resident Taxes	15,040.00		
National Bank Stock Taxes	115.00		
Total Warrants		$1,498,704.11	
Yield Taxes		26.40	
Added Taxes:			
Bank Stock	37.50		
Property Taxes	27.75		
Resident Taxes	110.00		
		175.25	
Land Use Change Taxes		2,465.00	
Overpayments During Year:			
a/c Property Taxes		1.53	
Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes		42.00	
TOTAL DEBITS			$1,501,414.29

— CR. —

Remittances to Treasurer:			
Property Taxes	$1,202,730.17		
Resident Taxes	12,790.00		
National Bank Stock Taxes	152.20		
Yield Taxes	26.40		
Land Use Change Taxes	465.00		
Interest Collected (Overpayments)	1.53		
Penalties on Resident Taxes	42.00		
		$1,216,215.60	
Abatements Made During Year:			
Property Taxes		853.09	
Uncollected Taxes - Dec. 31, 1978			
(As per Collector's List)			
Property Taxes	279,985.60		
Resident Taxes	2,360.00		
Land Use Taxes	2,000.00		
		284,345.60	
TOTAL CREDITS			1,501,414.29

PROPERTY, RESIDENT AND YIELD TAXES
LEVY OF 1977

— DR. —

Uncollected Taxes, January 1, 1978		
Property Taxes	$509,709.25	
Resident Taxes	1,840.00	
		$511,549.25

Added Taxes			
Property Taxes	1,612.78		
Resident Taxes	60.00		
		1,672.78	
Interest Collected-Property	188.01		
Penalties Collected-Resident	42.00		
		230.01	
TOTAL DEBITS			$513,452.04
	— CR. —		
Remittances to Treasurer			
Property Taxes	$428,751.03		
Resident Taxes	430.00		
Interest Collected	188.01		
Penalties Collected	42.00		
		$429,401.04	
Abatements			
Property		329.38	
Uncollected Taxes 3/14/78			
Property Taxes	82,251.62		
Resident Taxes	1,470.00		
		83,721.62	
TOTAL CREDITS			$513,452.04

Respectfully submitted,
ELEANOR G. BARTON
Tax Collector

PROPERTY, RESIDENT AND YIELD TAXES
LEVY OF 1977

	— DR. —		
Uncollected Taxes - as of 3/14/78 - 12/31/78			
Property Taxes	82,251.62		
Resident Taxes	1,470.00		
Yield Taxes	1,927.67		
		$85,649.29	
Interest Collected on Deliquent Property Taxes		3,037.16	
Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes		94.00	
TOTAL DEBITS			$88,780.45
	— CR. —		
Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1978			
Property Taxes	$82,223.72		
Resident Taxes	940.00		
Yield Taxes	1,342.46		
Interest Collected During Year	3,037.16		
Penalties on Resident Taxes	94.00		
			$87,637.34

Abatements Made During Year:			
Property Taxes	27.90		
Resident Taxes	480.00		
		507.90	
Uncollected Taxes-December 31, 1978 (As per Collector's List)			
Resident Taxes	50.00		
Yield Taxes	585.21		
		635.21	
TOTAL CREDITS			$88,780.45

PROPERTY, RESIDENT AND YIELD TAXES
LEVY OF 1976

— DR. —

Uncollected Taxes-As of 1/1/1978:		
Resident Taxes	$120.00	
TOTAL DEBITS		$120.00

— CR. —

Abatements Made During year:		
Resident Taxes	120.00	
TOTAL CREDITS		$120.00

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS

FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1978

— DR. —

	— Tax Sales on Account of Levies of —		
	1977	1976	1975
(a) Balance of Unredeemed Taxes - January 1, 1978		4,602.44	2,492.44
(b) Taxes Sold During Current Fiscal Year	3,515.98		
Interest Collected After Sale	272.30	107.10	500.52
TOTAL DEBITS	$3,788.28	$4,709.54	$2,992.96

— CR. —

Remittances to Treasurer During Year:			
Redemption		520.25	2,310.63
Interest & Costs After Sale		107.10	500.52
Deeded During Year	201.11	195.17	181.81
Unredeemed Taxes-December 31, 1978	3,587.17	3,887.02	
TOTAL CREDITS	$2,788.28	$4,709.54	$2,992.96

UNREDEEMED TAXES FROM TAX SALES
DECEMBER 31, 1978

	Levies of 1977	1976
Camp Tabor-Margaret Browder	45.35	45.00
Camp Tabor-Margaret Browder	660.17	668.23
Carbone, Frank J. & Diane D.	1,149.85	1,076.66
Carbone, Frank J. & Diane D.	611.72	715.71
Carrigan, Russell S. Estate	870.44	874.24
Forsberg, Roger A. & Doris (Johnson, Raymond E.)		95.08
Forsberg, Roger A. & Doris (Johnson, Raymond E.)		176.94
Green, David V. Estate	10.35	9.91
Hayward, Christopher E.	26.57	26.21
McCreary, Eleanor	76.10	76.00
McCreary, Eleanor	55.00	55.22
Owner or Owners Unknown-Otterville Road	68.02	67.82
Owner or Owners Unknown-Little Sunapee Road	13.60	
TOTAL	$3,587.17	$3,887.02

I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of December 31, 1978, on account of the tax levies of 1976 and 1977, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Respectfully submitted,
ISABELLA D. HUNTER, *Collector*

AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Citizens of the Town of New London, N.H.

I have examined the financial statements of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk, Road Agent, Cemetery Commission, Sewer Commission, Library Treasurer, Trustees of the Trust Funds, and District Court. I have compared their accounts, vouchers and bank statements of funds on deposit, and find these records to be in agreement, and I believe these records to be a true record of the town business for the year ending December 31, 1978.

ANNA MAY EBERHARDT
Auditor

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

By Taxation:		
1975 Resident Tax	$ 10.00	
Resident Tax Penalty	1.00	$ 11.00
1976 Resident Tax	40.00	
Resident Tax Penalty	4.00	44.00
1977 Property Tax	510,964.75	
Interest	3,385.50	
Tax Sales Redeemed	3,278.17	
Resident Tax	1,370.00	
Resident Tax Penalty	136.00	
Yield Tax (1977-1978)	1,342.46	520,476.88
1978 Property Tax	1,202,738.17	
Land Use Change Tax	465.00	
Interest	1.53	
National Bank Stock	152.50	
Resident Tax	12,790.00	
Resident Tax Penalty	42.00	1,216,215.60
From State of New Hampshire:		
Interest and Dividends	137,550.45	
Savings Bank Tax	15,556.57	
Meals and Rooms Tax	14,817.93	
Business Profits Tax (Town Portion $2,610.00)	11,100.63	
1978 Highway Subsidy	17,346.71	
1978 Highway Subsidy Additional	9,651.17	
Gas Tax Refunds	3,133.72	209,157.18
From Local Sources, Except Taxes:		
Dog Licenses	1,309.30	
Business Licenses, Permits and Fees	415.00	
District Court Fines	33,739.53	
Rent of Town Property	2,050.00	
Sale of Town Property	6,048.84	
Interest on Deposits	7,829.29	
Income from Trust Funds	1,730.40	
Police Department	855.44	
Highway Department	83.72	
Fire Department	41.20	
Dispatch Service	2,792.50	
Miscellaneous Refunds	21,314.58	
Income from Sewer Commission	28,019.34	
Income from Recreation Commission	500.00	
Registration of Motor Vehicles	74,213.50	
Insurance Claims	1,651.22	
Miscellaneous Income	61.65	
Yield Tax Security Deposits	76.42	
New London Trust Co., Short Term Notes	890,000.00	
Sewer Commission Note	49,800.00	1,122,531.93
Federal Revenue Sharing		32,650.00
Total Receipts		3,101,086.59
Cash on Hand - January 1, 1978		138,194.04
		$ 3,239,280.63

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

General Government		
Town Officers Salaries	$ 18,628.32	
Town Officers Expenses	21,570.40	
Election and Registration Expenses	1,685.64	
District Court Expenses	18,846.17	
Town Hall and Other Building Expenses	20,882.31	
Reappraisal of Property	4,456.26	
Tax Map	4,587.50$	90,656.60
Protection of Persons and Property		
Police Department	78,456.53	
Fire Department	22,146.68	
Dispatch Service	33,981.11	
Care of Trees	3,345.00	
Planning Board	5,808.60	
Zoning Board of Adjustment	129.91	
Insurance	30,415.52	
Civil Defense	1,606.39	
Conservation Commission	3,000.00	178,889.74
Health		
Lake and Pond Inspections	500.00	
Health Department	1,600.00	
New London Hospital	12,500.00	
Ambulance Service	13,506.67	
Visiting Nurse	3,412.50	
Vital Statistics	164.75	
Town Dumps	34,639.48	
Sewer Maintenance	21,118.39	87,441.79
Highway Department		
Road Maintenance	135,871.55	
Highway Subsidy	17,346.71	
Highway Subsidy Additional	9,651.17	
Special Road Improvement	14,861.79	
Town Road Aid	984.24	
General Expenses	6,547.38	
Street Lighting	10,931.34	196,194.18
Library		23,000.00
Public Welfare		
Old Age Assistance	5.00	
Town Poor	584.63	
Aid to Permanently and Totally Disabled	2,625.79	
Community Action Program	1,129.95	4,345.37
Patriotic Purposes		
Memorial Day		250.00
Recreation		
Parks and Beaches		8,950.27
Public Service Enterprises		
Hydrant Service	2,475.00	
Cemeteries	6,500.00	8,975.00

Unclassified		
Damages and Legal Expenses	61,673.05	
Chamber of Commerce	1,050.00	
Taxes Bought by Town	3,740.03	
Tax Refunds	360.64	
Employees Retirement and Social Security	22,193.13	
Town History and Archives Committee	594.40	
New London Bicentennial Committee	4,454.15	
Yield Tax Security Deposits	76.42	94,141.82
Debt Service		
Interest on Debt		
Paid on Tax Anticipation Loans	14,120.58	
Paid on Sewer Commission Note	3,141.37	
Paid on Long Term Notes	1,490.68	
Paid on Bonded Debt	15,250.00	34,002.63
Principal of Debt		
Payments on Tax Anticipation Notes	1,085,000.00	
Payment on Sewer Note	105,000.00	
Payment on Long Term Notes	14,142.00	
Payments on Bonded Debt	20,000.00	1,224,142.00
Capital Outlay		
Highway Dept. Equipment	24,490.50	
Police Cruiser	5,131.74	
Fire Engine	47,000.00	
Other New Equipment	1,053.60	
Elkins Dam	7.49	77,683.33
Payments to Other Government Divisions		
Dept. of Health & Welfare - OASI Fund	62.99	
State of N.H. - Boat Reports	91.12	
County Tax	190,457.00	
2% Bond and Debt Retirement Tax	223.75	
Kearsarge Regional School District	807,675.09	
New London Water System Precinct	33,574.85	
Blue Cross-Blue Shield Dividend	138.85	1,032.223.65
TOTALY PAYMENTS		3,060,896.38
Cash on Hand - December 31, 1978		178,384.25
		$ 3,239,280.63

DEPARTMENTAL EXPENSES

TOWN OFFICERS SALARIES

Appropriation		$ 18,250.00
Paid:		
Alf E. Jacobson, Selectman	$ 1,500.00	
Harry B. Harris, Jr., Selectman	1,500.00	
Robert G. MacMichael, Selectman	1,500.00	
Benjamin L. Bucklin, Treasurer	1,000.00	
Chandler M. Perkins, Deputy Treasurer	50.00	
Isabella D. Hunter, Tax Collector	6,421.50	
Eleanor G. Barton, Tax Collector	1,096.82	
Betty A. Miller, Deputy Tax Collector	50.00	
William F. Kidder, Town Clerk	100.00	
William F. Kidder, License Fees	3,110.00	
Ernest E. Welch, Trust Officer	400.00	
Anna May Eberhardt, Auditor	300.00	
Arthur S. Little, Jr., Sewer Commissioner	500.00	
H. Sumner Stanley, Sewer Commissioner	500.00	
Leslie W. Shaw, Sewer Commissioner	500.00	
Bradford C. White, Welfare Officer	100.00	18,628.32
Overdraft		378.32

TOWN OFFICERS EXPENSES

Appropriation		$ 19,100.00
Paid:		
Town Report, Printing and Photography	$ 2,421.50	
Postage and Box Rent	704.00	
Newspaper Notices	294.40	
Dues	710.38	
Selectmen's Office:		
Supplies and Expenses	1,618.13	
Equipment Maintenance	436.72	
Town Clerk's Office - Supplies and Expenses	616.00	
Tax Collector - Supplies and Expenses	1,573.34	
Treasurer - Supplies and Expenses	46.86	
Secretaries Salaries	12,721.13	
Telephone	403.54	
Safety Deposit Box	16.00	
Selectmen's Travel Expense	8.40	21,570.40
Overdraft		$ 2,470.40

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION EXPENSES

Appropriation		$ 3,000.00
Paid:		
Frank H. Butler, Supervisor	$ 110.00	
Barbara A. Kristl, Supervisor	191.25	
Frederick W. Phillips, Supervisor	145.00	
Kenneth M. Rich, Supervisor	96.25	
Laurence M. Spaulding, Moderator	60.00	
Kenneth M. Rich, Assistant Moderator	10.00	
Ballot Clerks	120.00	
Counters	205.00	
Newspaper Notices	101.18	
Printing Ballots and Check List	527.68	
Supplies and Expenses	57.12	
Voting Booth	62.16	1,685.64
Balance		$ 1,314.36

DISTRICT COURT

Appropriation		$ 18,900.00
Paid:		
Geroge O. Shovan, Justice	$ 8,000.00	
F. Graham McSwiney, Special Justice	2,400.00	
Margaret Abbott, Clerk	6,000.00	
Secretarial Work	1,908.53	
Balif	537.64	846.17
Balance		$ 53.83

TOWN HALL AND OTHER TOWN BUILDINGS

Appropriation		$ 20,000.00
Paid:		
Custodians	$ 2,490.00	
Public Service Co. of N.H.	1,849.49	
Furnace Maintenance and Fuel	1,836.44	
Electrical Maintenance	1,034.62	
Flagpole Maintenance	226.08	
Building Maintenance	1,763.70	
Sewer Service and Water Rent	237.96	
General Supplies	244.66	
Renovations	9,097.34	18,780.29
Addie Gay House, Sewer Service		33.60
Elkins Post Office:		
Public Service Co. of N.H.	349.79	
New London Fuel Co.	621.32	
Building Maintenance	69.31	
Flagpole Maintenance	10.00	
Plowing	180.00	
Painting	838.00	2,068.42
		20,882.31
Overdraft		$ 882.31

APPRAISAL OF PROPERTY

Appropriation		$ 3,000.00
Paid:		
State of New Hampshire		4,456.26
Overdraft		$ 1,456.26

TAX MAP

Appropriation		
Paid:		
Revisions, Corrections, Up-dating	$ 4,553.25	
Merrimack County Registry of Deeds	34.25	4,587.50
Overdraft		1,587.50

SOCIAL SECURITY AND RETIREMENT

Appropriation		$ 23,000.00
Refund		5.50
		23,005.50
Paid:		
N.H. Retirement System (Employees)	$ 5,181.50	
N.H. Retirement System (Employees Special Annuity)	474.20	
N.H. Retirement System (Police)	3,750.80	
N.H. Retirement System (Police Special Annuity)	204.75	
Treasurer State of N.H. - State Share of F.I.C.A. Taxes	12,581.88	22,193.13
Balance		812.37

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation		$ 75,238.00
Refund, Blue Cross - Blue Shield Dividend		93.58
		75,331.58
Paid:		
Cruiser Expenses	$ 7,259.45	
New London Cleaners	253.40	
Equipment	366.03	
Insurance	3,681.03	
Miscellaneous Expenses	1,268.30	
Radio Repairs	513.83	
Supplies	941.73	
Telephone	1,878.31	
Uniforms	851.11	
Salaries	61,443.34	78,456.53
Overdraft		$ 3,124.95

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation		$ 22,150.00
Refund, Forest Fire		41.20
		22,191.20
Paid:		
Laurids T. Lauridsen, Chief	$ 700.00	
Laurids T. Lauridsen, Fire Warden	200.00	
Volunteer Firemen Wages	3,796.00	
Volunteer Firemen Training	419.00	
Fire Wardens Training Session	82.40	
Kearsarge Telephone Company	1,660.65	
Public Service Co. of N.H.	753.71	
Fuel	1,109.62	
Gas and Oil	567.68	
Supplies	542.12	
Tools	558.35	
New Equipment	9,007.90	
Equipment Maintenance	927.99	
Truck maintenance	734.78	
Building Maintenance	449.90	
Sewer Service and Water Rent	142.20	
Dues	48.00	
Miscellaneous Expenses	446.38	22,146.68
Balance		$ 44.52

CARE OF TREES

Appropriation		$ 3,500.00
Paid:		
Stump and Tree Removal	$ 2,470.00	
Tree Planting	800.00	
Fertilizing Trees	75.00	3,345.00
Balance		155.00

PLANNING BOARD

Appropriation		$ 5,805.00
Paid:		
Postage and Expenses	$ 403.35	
Supplies	235.90	
Newspaper Notices	38.10	
Merrimack County Registry of Deeds	183.00	
Hans Klunder Associates	4,948.25	5,808.60
Balance		41.40

ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

Appropriation		$ 200.00
Paid:		
Postage and Expenses	$ 22.56	
Newspaper Notices	107.35	129.91
Balance		70.09

DAMAGES AND LEGAL EXPENSES

Appropriation		$ 75,000.00
Paid:		
Sutton Suit	$ 53,555.99	
Public Service Co. Tax Appeal	1,535.32	
Upton, Sanders & Smith	6,581.74	61,673.05
Balance		13,326.95

INSURANCE

Appropriation		$ 32,500.00
Workmen's Compensation Dividend		948.00
		33,448.00
Paid:		
Town Buildings and Contents	$ 5,371.00	
Automobile Schedule	9,427.00	
Workmen's Compensation	12,027.00	
Bonds	1,057.00	
Employees Life and Disability	2,533.52	30,415.52
Balance		3,032.48

CIVIL DEFENSE

Appropriation		$ 1,800.00
Paid:		
Stuart F. Sidmore, Jr., Director	$ 300.00	
Town Hall Emergency Lights	649.33	
Fire Extinguishers and Maintenance	25.25	
New Equipment	603.81	
Equipment Maintenance	10.00	
Supplies	18.00	1,606.39
Balance		$ 193.61

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Appropriation		$ 3,000.00
Paid:		
Expenses and Supplies	$ 119.44	
Fund Drive Mailers	75.72	
Newspaper Notices	32.00	
Shaker Pines, Sub-division Lot #26	2,000.00	
Continuing Fund	772.84	3,000.00
Balance		00.00

DISPATCH SERVICE

Appropriation		$ 33,357.00
Refund, Blue Cross - Blue Shield Dividend		68.74
		33,425.74
Paid:		
Salaries	$ 31,707.70	
Insurance	1,853.15	
Supplies and Expenses	420.26	33,981.11
Overdraft		$ 555.37

TOWN DUMP MAINTENANCE

Appropriation		$ 27,875.00
Refund, Blue Cross - Blue Shield Dividend		22.67
		27,897.67
Paid:		
Attendants Wages	$ 9,495.74	
Blue Cross - Blue Shield	744.08	
Highway Department Wages	4,847.25	
Hired Equipment	2,558.50	
Signs, Permits, Newspaper Notices	25.70	
Supplies	203.88	
Hough Loader	8,373.98	
Tires	3,014.58	
Bobcat	97.06	
Gas and Oil	1,572.78	
Public Service (Recycling Plant)	78.62	
Recycling Special Help	3,471.35	
Bale Ties	155.96	34,639.48
Overdraft		$ 6,741.81

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT, ROAD MAINTENANCE

Appropriation		$ 139,900.00
Refund, Blue Cross - Blue Shield Dividend		118.41
Refund, Overpayment		16.25
		$ 140,034.66
Paid:		
Maintenance of Trucks	$ 7,349.43	
L.W. Grader	1,447.27	
Caterpillar Loader	1,044.15	
1976 Ford Pick-up	117.83	
Plows	1,495.25	
Sanders	2,046.92	
Farmall Tractor	20.00	
Gravely Tractor and Snowblower	140.89	
Wages	77,334.90	
Salt	478.03	
Sand and Gravel ($4,200.00 in Accounts Payable)	5,789.83	
Asphalt, Hot Mix and Cold Patch	8,912.51	
Hired Labor and Equipment	2,461.58	
Tools and Maintenance	1,057.49	
Parts	1,351.79	
General Supplies	5,399.39	
Tires	1,714.76	
Gas, Oil and Kerosene	18,053.11	
Street Signs and Posts	241.10	
Newspaper Notices	9.97	
Blue Cross-Blue Shield	3,605.35	140,071.55
Overdraft		36.89

SPECIAL ROAD ACCOUNT

Appropriation			$ 15,000.00
Paid:			
Burpee Lane			
Hired Equipment	$ 144.00		
Gravel	93.00		
Culverts	242.00		
Highway Department Wages	232.40	$ 711.40	
County Road			
Hired Equipment	484.00		
Culverts	1,112.50		
N.H. Bituminous	1,899.29		
Higway Department Wages	2,854.60	6,350.39	
Crushing Gravel		7,800.00	14,861.79
Balance			138.21

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT, GENERAL EXPENSES

Appropriation		$ 7,620.00
Paid:		
Kearsarge Telephone Company	$ 289.21	
Public Service Co. of N.H.	853.83	
Fuel	2,790.90	
Maintenance and Repairs	1,785.69	
Highway Department Wages	162.18	
New London Water System Precinct	40.00	
Messer Garage Rent	240.00	
Supplies	385.57	6,547.38
Balance		1,072.62

HIGHWAY SUBSIDY

Appropriation		$ 17,346.71
Paid:		
Cold Patch	$ 702.18	
Gravel	1,204.71	
Salt	2,329.69	
Sand	1,816.05	
Calcium Chloride	1,286.40	
Pavement marking	900.00	
Culverts	4,436.76	
Tires	1,459.80	
Hired Equipment	3,211.12	17,346.71
Balance		$ 00.00

HIGHWAY SUBSIDY ADDITIONAL

Appropriation (Estimate by State of N.H.)		$ 9,949.45
Funds Received from State		$ 9,651.17
Paid:		
Clearing	$ 5,407.43	
Grading	3,898.30	

Road Mix	345.44	9,651.17
Balance		$ 00.00

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Appropriation		$ 1,500.00
Paid:		
Town Poor	$ 584.63	
Local Welfare Administration Assoc.	5.00	589.63
Balance		910.37

WELFARE

Appropriation		$ 4,000.00
Paid:		
State of N.H. - Local Share Int. Care		2,625.79
Balance		$ 1,374.21

RECREATION COMMISSION

1977 Appropriation Balance		$ 949.76
1978 Appropriation		7,725.00
Income from Red Cross		500.00
		9,174.76
Paid:		
Lifeguards	$ 6,018.10	
New Equipment	1,658.00	
Equipment Maintenance	401.32	
Buildings and Beach Maintenance	491.88	
Expenses and Supplies	203.16	
Kearsarge Telephone Company	124.81	
Newspaper Notices	28.00	
New London Water System Precinct	25.00	8,950.27
Balance		$ 224.49

TOWN ROAD AID - TOWN'S SHARE

Appropriation		$ 984.24
Paid:		
Treasurer State of New Hampshire		984.24

TOWN ROAD AID

1977 Balance		$ 860.50
1978 Appropriation Paid		984.24
State of N.H. Matching Funds		6,651.59
		$ 8,406.33
Direct Payment by State		
Asphalt	$ 5,614.08	
Balance		$ 2,792.25

STREET LIGHTING

Appropriation		$ 10,500.00
Paid:		
Public Service Co. of N.H.	$ 10,931.34	
Overdraft		$ 431.34

TOWN HISTORY AND ARCHIVES COMMITTEE

Appropriation		$ 1,000.00
Paid:		
Sewah Studios, Historical Marker	$ 405.00	
"Historical Sketches of New London"	189.40	594.40
Balance		405.60

NEW LONDON BICENTENNIAL COMMITTEE

Appropriation		$ 5,000.00
Paid:		
Bicentennial Medals	$ 4,259.90	
Supplies	172.50	
Newspaper Notices	21.75	4,454.15
Balance		$ 545.85

HYDRANT SERVICE

Appropriation		$ 2,525.00
Paid:		
New London Water System Precint	$ 2,475.00	
Balance		$ 50.00

NEW EQUIPMENT

Appropriation		$ 82,050.00
Balance of 1977 Appropriation		1,000.00
		83,050.00
Paid:		
Town Office		
File Cabinet	$ 553.60	
Police Cruiser	5,131.74	
Highway Department		
Truck, Plow and Wing	24,490.50	
Recreation Commission Dock	500.00	
Fire Engine	47,000.00	77,675.84
Balance		$ 5,374.16

ELKINS DAM

1976 Appropriation		$ 1,700.00
Paid:		
Padlock And Keys	$ 7.49	
Balance		$ 1.692.51

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Appropriation		$ 31,477.50
Insurance Claim		250.22
		31,727.72
Paid:		
New London Hospital	$ 12,500.00	
Ambulance Service	13,506.67	
Kearsarge Visiting Nurse Association	3,412.50	
Lake and Pond Inspections	500.00	
Guy F. Williams, Jr., Health Officer	1,300.00	
D.W. Clark, M.D., Consultant	100.00	
Expenses	200.00	31,519.17
Balance		$ 208.55

VITAL STATISTICS

Appropriation		$ 250.00
Paid:		
William F. Kidder, Town Clerk	$ 164.75	
Balance		$ 85.25

SEWER MAINTENANCE

Reimbursement from Sewer Commission		$ 21,118.37
Paid:		
Salaries And Blue Cross - Blue Shield	$ 21,118.39	
Balance Due		$.02

SEWER COMMISSION LOAN

Temporary Loan in Anticipation of Federal Grants -		
Paid to New London Trust Co.		$ 105,000.00
Interest Paid		3,141.37
		$ 108,141.37
Repaid by Sewer Commission	$ 49,800.00	
Balance Due		$ 58,341.37

INTEREST ON DEBT

Appropriation - Long Term Notes and Bonds		$ 16,740.68
Paid:		
Bank of New Hampshire - Sewer Notes	$ 1,125.00	
New London Trust Co. - Fire House Note	365.68	
Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Co.-Sewer Bonds	15,250.00	
New London Trust Co.-Short Term Notes	14,120.58	30,861.26
Overdraft		$ 14,120.58*

**Approved by Department of Revenue Administration*

PRINCIPAL OF DEBT

Appropriation		$ 34,142.00
Paid:		
Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Co. Sewer Bond	$ 20,000.00	
Bank of New Hampshire - Sewer Plant Imp.	5,000.00	
New London Trust Co. - Fire House Note	9,142.00	34,142.00*
Balance		$ 00.00

* *Used $32,650.00 Federal Revenue Sharing Funds*

TEMPORARY LOANS

Borrowed:		
New London Trust Co. - Outstanding Tax Anticipation Loan 12/31/77		$ 195,000.00
New London Trust Co. - Tax Anticipation Loans		890,000.00
		$ 1,085,000.00
Paid:		
New London Trust Co.	$ 1,085,000.00	
Balance		$ 00.00

APPROPRIATION PAID IN ENTIRETY TO ONE ENTITY

Tracy Memorial Library	$ 23,000.00	
Community Action Program	1,129.95	
American Legion Post No. 40 - Memorial Day	250.00	
New London Cemetery Commission	6,500.00	
New London Information Booth (Wages)	1,050.00	$ 31,929.95

NON-APPROPRIATED PAYMENTS

Taxes Bought by Town	$ 3,740.03	
Tax Refunds	360.64	
2% Bond and Debt Retirement Tax	223.75	
Department of Health and Welfare	62.99	
State of N.H. - Boat Reports	91.12	
Merrimack County Tax	190,457.00	
New London Water System Precinct	33,574.85	
New London Tax Collector (Yield Tax Security Deposits)	76.42	
Blue Cross - Blue Shield Dividend	138.85	$ 228,725.65

KEARSARGE REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

Assessment July 1, 1977 - June 30, 1978 (Balance Due)		$ 327,675.09
Assessment July 1, 1978 - June 30, 1979		827,461.60
		$ 1,155,136.69
Paid:		
Treasurer, Kearsarge Regional School District	$ 807,675.09	
Balance Due for Year Ending June 30, 1979		$ 347,461.60

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF NEW LONDON, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Report for the Year 1978

Listed on the following pages are the stocks entrusted to the Trustees of the Trust Funds and the results of the variation in the stock market during the year 1978.

Respectfully submitted,

ERNEST WELCH
Treasurer

COMMON TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF NEW LONDON

HOW INVESTED		PRINCIPAL						INCOME	
No. Shares	Description of Investment (Names of Banks, Stocks, Bonds, etc.)	Balance Beginning Year	Additions Purchases	Additions Capital Gains	Proceeds From Sales	Gains or Losses From Sales	Balance End Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year
	Newport Savings Bank	11,773.52					18,249.16	1,000.59	
350	Central Maine Power	6,530.48					6,530.48	511.00	
100	General Motors Corporation	6,910.02					6,910.02	600.00	
200	Public Service Company of N.H.	5,088.32					5,088.32	388.00	
966.18	Puritan Fund, Inc.	10,202.71							
	25.307 shares capital gains reinvested			270.53					
991.487	End of Year Total (Puritan Fund, Inc.)						10,473.24	646.31	
1027	Keystone Custodian Fund, B-4	9,992.71					9,992.71	749.71	
	Received/ Disbursed: Cemetery Comm.							925.00	5,000.00
	TOTALS	50,497.76		270.53			57,243.93	4,820.61	5,000.00

All dividends earned and money received from the Cemetery Commission is deposited into the savings account. Money is expended to the Cemetery Commission upon request.

TRUST FUND

FUND AND HOW INVESTED	PRINCIPAL					INCOME	
	Balance Beginning Year	new Fundb Created	+ or − on sale of Securities	Capital Gains Dividvnds	Balance End Year	Income Amount	Expended During Year
1951 — JANE A. TRACY FUND							
Tracy Memorial Library							
Newport Savings Bank	854.63	427.76			1,282.39	41.05	41.05
246 shares American T & T	7,036.78				7,036.78	1,107.00	1,107.00
8 8¾ Deb. AT & T with 16 W	815.64						
4 redemmed			−400.00				
4 8¾ Deb. AT & T with 16 W					415.64	35.00	35.00
0 shares AT & T 4% Pfd Conv						13.00	13.00
300 shares Atlantic City Electric	6,472.38				6,472.38	501.00	501.00
400 shares Baltimore Gas & Elec.	11,346.80				11,346.80	660.00	660.00
900 shares Delmarva Pwr. & Light	15,034.43				15,034.43	1,152.00	1,152.00
400 shares Duquesne Light Co.	6,889.92				6,889.92	688.00	688.00
2,047.898 shares Eaton & Howard	12,147.12				12,147.12	974.80	974.80
300 shares General Motors	20,390.01				20,390.01	1,800.00	1,800.00
400 shares Kansas City Pwr. & Lt.	11,901.75				11,901.75	1,024.00	1,024.00
1324 shares Keys Cust. Fund K1	11,245.69				11,245.69	728.20	728.20
100 shares Key. Cust. Fund B4	8,920.00				8,920.00	730.00	730.00
300 shares Libbey Owen Ford	10,331.80				10,331.80	690.00	690.00
500 shares Long Island Light Co.	9,924.07				9,924.07	841.25	841.25
128 shares Manufact. Hanover	1,558.70				1,558.70	527.68	527.68
176 shares New England T & T	6,355.90				6,355.90	576.00	576.00
200 shares Potomac Elec. Power	3,323.55				3,323.55	265.00	265.00
600 shares Pub. Ser. Co. of N.H.	14,249.75				14,249.75	1,614.00	1,614.00
TOTALS	158,798.92	427.76	−400.00		158,826.68	13,967.98	13,967.98

FUND AND HOW INVESTED	PRINCIPAL					INCOME	
	Balance Beginning Year	New Funds Created	+ or − on sale of Securities	Capital Gains Dividends	Balance End Year	Income Amount	Expended During Year
1951 — JANE A. TRACY FUND							
Tracy Memorial Fund (cont.)							
565.675 shares Puritan Fund	6,013.58						
14.817 shares Cap Gains Reinv.				158.39			
580.492 shares End of Year Total					6,171,97	378.39	378.39
1,117.628 shares Putnam Income F.	8,912.73				8,912.73	715.27	715.27
500 shares So. Calif. Edison	13,336.80				13,336.80	1,120.00	1,120.00
500 shares Virginia Elec. & Pwr.	7,964.91				7,964.91	650.00	650.00
TOTALS (Tracy Fund)	195,026.94	427.76	−400.00	158.39	195,213.09	16,831.64	16,831.64
1913 — SARAH & ELIZABETH BROWN FUND							
Tracy Memorial Library							
Newport Savings Bank	191.59				191.59	10.31	10.31
103.147 shares Scudder, St. & Cl.	1,563.54						
2.482 shares Cap. Gains Reinv.				34.55			
105.629 shares End of Year Total					1,598.09	110.92	110.92
TOTALS (Brown Fund)	1,755.13			34.55	1,789.68	121.23	121.23
1945 — ANN MARY JELLY FUND							
Tracy Memorial Library							
Sugar River Savings Bank	124.64				124.64	6.68	6.68

1962 — KATHLEEN L. WHITCOMB FUND							
Tracy Memorial Library							
Newport Savings Bank	39.04				39.04	2.11	2.11
146.815 shares Puritan Fund	1,254.17						
3.846 shares Gap. Gains Reinv.				41.11			
150.661 shares End of Year Total					1,395.28	98.21	98.21
TOTALS (Whitcomb Fund)	1,393.21			41.11	1,434.32	100.32	100.32
TOTAL — Four Library Funds	198,299.92	427.76	−400.00	234.05	198,561.73	17,059.87	17,059.87
1976 — JAMES EMERY FUND							
Town - General Fund							
New London Trust	84.77				89.08	4.31	
400 shares Mid. South Utilities	6,074.14				6,074.14	576.00	576.00
270 shares Pacific Gas & Elec.	5,731.15				5,731.15	572.40	572.40
300 shares Pub. Ser. of N.H.	6,268.92				6,268.92	582.00	582.00
TOTALS (James Emery Fund)	18,158.98				18,163.29	1,734.71	1,730.40
TOTALS — Common Fund	50,497.76			270.53	57,243.93	4,820.61	5,000.00
TOTAL — All Trust Funds	266,956.66	427.76	−400.00	504.58	273,968.95	23,615.19	23,790.27

TRACY MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Tracy Memorial Library's circulation reached an all time high in 1978. The total of adult and juvenile books circulated was 26,623, and the total of periodicals and non-book items was 1897, giving a total of 28,520.

The library purchased 528 new books and was given 30 books by friends and patrons of the library, bringing the total of new acquisitions to 898. Many of the new books were purchased from monetary donations, including $1000.00 from the Friends of Tracy Memorial Library. There were four funds established in memory of Ruth A. Dickerson, Susan Fletcher Paige, Cecil Webster Boody, and Lee Wyndham. The librarians are in the process of purchasing books which they feel will make a valuable permanent addition to the library.

Not only have the people in New London been generous with their monetary and book donations, but there are volunteers who have contributed many hours of work to the library. They have assisted with preparations of books for circulation, with the children's story time, and with the cleaning and mending of books.

The library is fortunate to have a loyal staff -- Mrs. Stevenson, Mrs. Filkins, Mrs. Woodward, and Mrs. Kimball. Their efforts continue to make our library one of the best small town libraries in the state.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. JANE WOOD
Chairman
MRS. LOIS BITTER
MR. EMERSON GREENAWAY
MR. RANDLE GILLESPIE
RT. REV. CHARLES GILSON
MRS. NANCY NICHOLS

TRACY MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Annual Report — 1978

Balance on hand, January 1, 1978			$ 5,333.65
Income:			
Fines		$ 378.52	
Gifts for books		138.99	
Library fees		40.00	
Lost books		112.36	
Sale of old books		42.50	
Sale of old lamp		45.00	
Sale of old magazine		2.50	
Town appropriation		23,000.00	
Trust funds:			
Brown	$ 119.45		
Jelly	6.67		
Tracy	16,814.64		
Whitcomb	100.32	17,041.08	
Total income			40,800.95
Total income plus balance on hand			$ 46,134.60

Expenses:	
Batteries for emergency lights	$ 29.96
Binding	60.36
Books	3,838.93
Bulkhead repairs	10.00
Checkbook	10.36
Children's projects	47.26
Cleaning supplies and equipment	147.39
Convention expenses	10.00
Dues	32.00
Electricity	1,277.55
Fuel	1,707.88
Grounds	67.14
Hardware	29.81
Library supplies	359.76
Light bulbs	55.86
Lost book	15.00
Maintenance agreement	59.52
Mileage	33.78
Office chair	81.00
Office supplies	54.00
Paint, paint supplies and equipment	137.70
Paper towels and dispenser	35.73
Postage and box rent	122.04
Public relations	17.07
Salaries and FICA	29,650.14
Service calls	29.05

Shelter over front door	159.54	
Telephone	305.15	
Trash removal	94.30	
Vacuum cleaner	154.94	
Water rent	40.00	
Periodicals	509.31	
Total expenses		39,182.53
Balance on hand, December 31, 1978		$ 6,952.07

Respectfully submitted,

ERNEST E. WELCH
Treasurer

DISTRICT COURT OF NEW LONDON, NEW HAMPSHIRE

January 1, - December 31, 1978

Total Receipts

Cash on Hand January 1, 1978	$ 70.00
Total Fines and Forfeitures	87,350.15
Civil Entry Fees	47.00
Sale of Civil Writs	19.00
Writs of Execution	11.00
Small Claim Entry Fees	427.01
	$87,924.16

Total Disbursements

Fines Paid the State	$39,319.60
Penalty Assessments Paid the State	7,878.15
Witness Fees	1,685.40
Court Expenses	3,714.16
Guardian Ad Litem for Juvenile	780.00
Office Equipment	737.32
Town of New London	33,739.53
Cash on Hand December 31, 1978	70.00
	$87,924.16

MARGARET ABBOTT *Clerk*

REPORT OF THE NEW LONDON DISTRICT COURT

From October 1, 1977 to September 30, 1978 the District Court determined the following number of cases:

Motor Vehicle Violations	2,836
Other Violations	19
Misdemeanors	221
Felonies	14
Juvenile	16
Civil	8
Small Claims	146
TOTAL	3,260

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE O. SHOVAN,
Justice

REPORT OF THE NEW LONDON CENTRAL DISPATCH

The New London Central Dispatch received 13,418 calls 3,669 of which were calls for cruiser response.

Our alarm monitoring system now totals 51.

At this time we are dispatching for New London, Wilmot and Newbury police, ambulance and fire department also for Bradford police and ambulance. We are also dispatching for Colby-Sawyer College Security and New London Highway Department.

Again, our thanks for your continued support.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER A. RENEY
Chief

REPORT OF
THE NEW LONDON POLICE DEPARTMENT

In 1978 your Police Department handled the following activities:

	1978	1977
Assaults	3	6
Attempted Burglary	4	1
Attempted Suicide	1	
Burglaries	29	19
Bad Checks	3	7
Criminal Mischief	27	20
Criminal Trespass	7	9
Drunk		2
Disorderly Conduct		3
Forgery	4	1
Knowingly present Con. Drug	5	3
Possession Marijuana	8	2
Possession Alcohol		7
Manufacturing Cont. Drug	1	
Littering	2	7
Indecent Exposure	1	
Shoplifting	3	5
Taking without authority	8	1
Thefts	74	76
Reckless conduct	2	
Homicide	1	
Harrassment	2	
Arrests	83	79
Resisting Arrest	1	
Criminal Hours worked	1328	252
Total hours worked on Homicide	898	
MV Activities:		
Court	724	302
Warnings	995	745
Hit and Run	1	
Accidents	80	67
Accidents with injuries	15	
Total people injured	18	
Fatal Accidents	1	
D.E. Tags	126	94
D.W.I.	21	11

On November 26, 1978 this department lost the services of Officer James Barnard. On December 1, 1978, James Barnard became Chief of Police, Bartlett, N.H. This position was filled by Officer Herbert West, III.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER A. RENEY
Chief

CIVIL DEFENSE REPORT — 1978

This year we have updated and improved some of our equipment and facilities. We have purchased a new two meter radio to replace the antiquated six meter. All Civil Defense agencies are now on the two meter radio enabling us to communicate with other towns and State in time of emergency.

Civil Defense also has had the gasoline pumps at the Town Shed wired so that a small generator can run them in case of power failure. This would enable the town trucks to get gas for plowing at anytime and the town police and ambulance when the power is off.

This coming year if the budget is approved by the Budget Committee and the Town we will purchase an emergency generator system for the Town Dispatch. The Dispatch has communication with the town highway, fire department, ambulance, police, other towns, and State Police. with an emergency system if the power did go off the town would still have all the vital communications necessary.

We would also like to purchase some mobil radios to replace the CB radios which we now have. With the popularity of the CB it has become impossible to use them for town activities.

As always I would welcome hearing from anyone interested in Civil Defense.

I would again like to thank the Dispatch for receiving and processing all Civil Defense calls which are received.

Respectfully submitted,

STUART F. SIDMORE, JR.
Director

NEW LONDON FIRE DEPARTMENT

Captain Douglas Mathewson
1st Lieutenant James A. Granger
2nd Lieutenant Paul A. Messer
3rd Lieutenant Robert S. Brown
4th Lieutenant Richard W. Rodgers
Clerk Stephen W. Ensign

On May 1st, the new 1,000 G.P.M. pumper was delivered to our station. Now, after weeks of changes and adjustments, the truck is performing up to its capabilities and has become our first line attack truck. With the addition of this new pumper, which replaced our obsolete 1954 Ford, we now boast two modern pumpers and one up-to-date tanker. Also a 1959 Chevrolet pumper and a jeep 4 w/d for brush and forest fires completes the list of important equipment currently being used by our department.

For some years now, our men have been aware of the need for a training facility, not only for New London personnel but for the surrounding communities as well. Plans now have been developed for such a facility and interest from our Mutual Aid towns is running very high. Financial commitments are already coming in from local and out-of-town sources and it is our desire to finance this project without town funds. It is very possible that if this interest and financial support continues, we could possibly start construction this summer.

The department again wishes to thank all for your continued support and for the many letters of praise received by this department.

Respectfully submitted,

LAURIDS LAURIDSEN, JR.
Chief

FIRE CALLS — 1978

Structural Fires 12
Car Fires 7
Out-of-Town (Mutual Aid) 4
Chimney Fires 15
Hospital Calls 3

Other (Including False Alarms)	8
Cats in Trees (Rescue)	2
Colby-Sawyer College	2
Dump Fires	2
Hospital Fire Drills	10
Total Alarms	65

REPORT OF DISTRICT FOREST FIRE CHIEF AND YOUR FOREST FIRE WARDEN

For more than 80 years, a cooperative effort between the State of New Hampshire and local forest fire authorities has created a forest fire prevention and suppression program that is recognized as superior throughout the United States.

Since the first forest fire laws were written in 1895, the state and local community governments have worked together to prevent and combat forest fires.

Today, 249 forest fire wardens and more than 1,800 deputy wardens are appointed every three years by the State Forester to work with the members of the State Forest Fire staff in this effort. State funds are used to pay one-half the cost of forest fire suppression costs incurred by local forest fire organizations, within pay rates established by the Governor and Council. State funds matched by local funds are used to purchase hand tools to suppress forest fires, to train local forest fire crews and in forest fire prevention work.

All outside burning, when the ground is not covered with snow, is permitted only after obtaining a written fire permit from your local Forest Fire Warden. Penalty for burning without a permit when one is required is a misdemeanor punishable by a fine up to $1,000 or a jail term of up to one year or both.

REMEMBER, ONLY YOU CAN PREVENT FOREST FIRES.

1978 Forest Fire Statistics

	No. of Fires	No. of Acres Burned
State	1.433	460
District	43	40
Town	0	0

GERALD S. GROSS
District Fire Chief
LAURIDS LAURIDSEN, JR.
Forest Fire Warden

127 fire permits were issued in the Town of New London in 1978. My personal thanks to Deputy Warden Sumner Stanley for assisting me in issuing fire permits when I was not available.

LAURIDS LAURIDSEN, JR.
Forest Fire Warden

REPORT OF THE PLANNING BOARD

1978 was a busy year for the Planning Board. Town Meeting authorized a first in ten years overall review which is just being completed as this report goes to press.

In the conduct of its regular business, the Planning Board held 13 meetings which involved different matters subject to Public Hearing. These included 9 subdivisions, comprising 20 new lots, as well as 9 site plans and 6 annexations. In order to improve knowledgeable handling of these matters, an effort was made to assign responsibility for each application to one board member. It's hoped that this plan will continue to improve Planning Board service to applicants and to the Town.

The ten-year overall Town Plan Review was managed by a subcommittee of the Planning Board, which held 9 meetings for that purpose. Competent professional leadership was supplied by Hans Klunder of the firm of that name, who did the major town plan study 10 years ago. Five other professional

firms were interviewed by the subcommittee in the course of making the final selection of the Klunder firm.

The membership of the sub-committee included William F. Kidder, Jr., Howard Moody, Mrs. John H. Ohler, and Lewis Vincent in addition to the regular Planning Board membership. Mr. Vincent was secretary of the subcommittee and of the Town Plan Review Committee which inlcuded 28 other New London residents.

The large Town Plan Review Committee members were carefully selected in order to make it the broadest cross section representation of the town. The Planning Board is deeply grateful to the tireless efforts of the subcommittee and the large Town Plan Review Committee to assist in executing a comprehensive review of the Town Plan. By the time this is published, printed copies of the proposals and results will have been given wide distribution through the town.

Wesley G. Nichols was appointed to the Board, replacing Mrs. Sydney R. Badmington whose term expired. Harry B. Harris, Jr. attended 1978 Planning Board meetings as Selectmen representative. The Conservation Commission was represented first by Mrs. Esther Currier and then by Marilyn Andrews. Mrs. Andrews was also appointed an alternate Planning Board member by the Board of Selectmen.

The Planning Board wishes to thank every one of the unusually large number of people who assisted the Board this year. The spirit of cooperation by the applicants who presented Zoning matters to the Board for consideration was excellent and most helpful to the Board.

We hope, too, that the attendance and effort in 1978 of the Town Plan Review Committee is widely known throughout the Town. Certainly better communication of the nature and detail of our Town Plan will make it more workable, practical, tangible and useful to our residents.

Respectfully submitted,

MARSHALL P. HOKE
Chairman

ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

During 1978 the Zoning Board of Adjustment held open hearings on the following appeals, referred by the Selectmen unless otherwise noted.

April 5 — G. Mortimer DesBarres requested a variance to Article V, Section 11-1 to rent existing office space in his barn on King Hill Road to a life insurance agent. Granted.

May 17 — Charles M. Bucklin requested a special exception as provided in Article XII, Section J to build an 8' by 12' structure for storage on his Little Lake Sunapee Property. Denied.

May 31 — Thomas J. Drake requested a special exception to Article V, Section A-1 to build an inground swimming pool at his residence on Route 11. Granted.

June 14 — Janet Beardsley requested a special exception to Article IV, Section A-1 and Article 11, Section 1—A to build an addition to her present garage to house animals. Granted.

August 16 — Laurence Spaulding requested a special exception to Article V. Section A-1 to build an inground swimming pool at his residence on County Road. Granted.

September 20 — Norman Leger requested an appeal from an administrative order in relation to Article X, Section A. He wished to resume the non-conforming use of his property on Whipple Court as a lodging for the Barn Players for the summer season (June 1 through September 15). Granted.

Respectfully submitted,

ANNA E. RICH
Secretary

SEWER COMMISSION REPORT

Preparation of plans and specifications for proposed sewers was completed in March 1978 and forwarded to State and Federal Agencies for approval.

At the 1978 Town Meeting the Town voted to raise and appropriate funds for the construction of the first phases of the project. Completion of the construction will enable the Town to comply with State and Federal Directives regarding the elimination of the discharge to Lyon Brook and permit removal of the moratorium on connections to the sewer system.

In April an application for a Federal Grant for construction was submitted. Unfortunately approval of the Grant was delayed by a suit against the Environmental Protection Agency by a small group called Friends of our Rural Environment (FORE). However, in December a compromise was reached and it now appears that the grant request will be approved and we will be able to proceed with the project. It is difficult to predict a completion date at this time but we hope there will be no more delays.

The Warrant for the 1979 Meeting will contain an Article to raise and appropriate funds for a further study to determine the feasibility of eliminating the infiltration of storm water into the existing sewers. We have been assured of both State and Federal Grants for this study.

The routine operation and maintenance of our present plant have gone smoothly during the year under the able management of our superintendent, John Bickford.

Respectfully submitted,

H. SUMNER STANLEY
LESLIE W. SHAW
ARTHUR S. LITTLE, JR.
Sewer Commissioners

SEWER COMMISSION

FINANCIAL REPORT — 1978

GENERAL ACCOUNT

RECEIPTS:		
Balance on Hand January 1, 1978 overdraft	−$18,206.41	
Sewer User Charges - 1977 assessment	28,846.42	
Sewer Improvement Charge - 1977 asessment	14,272.99	
Sewer User Charges - 1978 assessment	43,047.12	
Sewer Improvement Charges - 1978 assessment	21,662.25	
Interest on Delinquent Charges	307.64	
State of New Hampshire Grant	442.00	
Total Receipts		$90,372.01
EXPENDITURES:		
Operation & Maintenance - Treatment Plant:		
Labor	$17,996.98	
Chemicals	6,611.53	
Heat & Power	2,937.19	
Transportation	98.83	
Tools & Supplies	967.08	
Sampling & Testing	7,020.00	
Equipment repairs & replacements	2,434.17	
Sludge removal	1,280.00	
Miscellaneous	636.25	
Total Operation & Maintenance - Treatment Plant		$39,982.03
Operation & Maintenance of Sewers:		
Labor	2,208.15	
Material & Supplies	1,926.92	
Transportation	249.39	
Heat & Power	462.99	
Miscellaneous	198.00	
Total Operation & Maintenance - Sewers		$ 5,045.45
General Expenses:		
Clerical & Bookkeeping	390.00	
Telephone Service	146.87	
Social Security Taxes	866.45	
Billing & Collection	1,124.92	
Miscellaneous	238.92	
Total General Expenses		$ 2,767.16
Debt Service:		
Serial Note - Principal	3,750.00	
Bonds - Principal	13,291.14	
Serial Note - Interest	843.75	
Bonds - Interest	10,134.45	
Total Debt Service		$28,019.34
Total Expenditures		$75,813.98
Carry over to 1979		$14,558.03

CONSTRUCTION ACCOUNT

RECEIPTS:		
Balance on Hand January 1	$137,085.67	
State of New Hampshire Grant - Design	49,800.00	
Federal Grant - Design	150,700.00	
Total Receipts		$337,585.67
EXPENDITURES:		
Study & Report (Facilities Plan)	$ 960.00	
Design	204,750.00	
Town of New London - Loan Payment	49,800.00	
Total Expenditures		$255,510.00
Carry over to 1979		$ 82,075.67

ANNUAL REPORT
NEW LONDON CONSERVATION COMMISSION

The major effort of the Conservation Commission in 1978 was to develop a nature trail system in the Chandler Brook Wetland and to raise the money to complete the purchase of the land surrounding the duck breeding area. A fund drive, which was started in July, has brought in contributions of $2500 which will be applied to the $7500 purchase price. The balance of the money to complete the acquisition will come from accumulated funds and the anticipated appropriation of the Town Meeting.

Unlike most town agencies, the Conservation Commission is allowed by statute to accumulate any unexpended funds from the annual appropriation. As land grows more expensive and the pressure for development increases, the need to have a ready reserve will no doubt require a larger appropriation request in the future. Town and private contributions may be used not only to purchase land and easements but to obtain matching federal grants.

To acquaint townspeople and visitors with the wetland, four guided tours of the area were conducted last summer. With the help of Luther Child, Harold Hopkins, Anna and Walter Gallazzi, Bruce MacFarlane, Anne Johnson, Bob Teach, Blanche Emory, Eleanor Gillespie, and Carol Graham and two daughters, a bridge was built over the outlet stream, trails were cut and a beaver proof pipe was installed to control the water level.

The Philbrick-Cricenti Bog continues to attract a steady stream of visitors with more than 1500 signing the guest book in the past year. The other trails were well, if not heavily, used, and we are happy to report that there has been no major vandalism.

Under the direction of Esther Currier, the commission will again conduct snowshoe walks during Feb. and March and bird walks in the spring.

Commission members have been active on the Town Plan Review Committee and hope that the enthusiasm for preserving New London's "rural charm" can be translated into an even more active conservation program.

We were all saddened this past fall by the loss of our good friend and enthusiastic supporter "Slim" Davis. The entire town will miss his expertise and unflagging interest in protecting our natural beauty.

Respectfully submitted,

MARILYN ANDREWS
Chairman
ESTHER CURRIER
JOHN ENSOR
DICK MILLAR
KAY MURRAY
JIM ROBJENT

NEW LONDON RECREATION COMMISSION

This year has been very busy for the Commission. We had an active summer at both Bucklin and Elkins Beach under the able leadership of Martha Phillips our Head Lifeguard. Beside Martha we employed four full-time lefeguards as well as two substitute lifeguards. Major additions at both beaches were new rafts to replace some very old, rusty and unsafe docks which we were pleased to ship to the dump. The new rafts enhance our Red Cross swim program and they provided additional enjoyment for the swimmers. We had many minor repairs, and also the Elkins Bath House received a much needed coat of stain. Your Commission meets on a monthly basis throughout the year so that the summer program hopefully runs smoothly. We are always open to suggestions and recommendations, and would be happy to have you attend one of our meetings. We were sorry to have Doug Atkins move out of town. Doug has been on the Commission for a number of years, and most recently was our chairman.

Respectfully submitted,

DR. RICHARD W. RODGERS
Chairman
DR. WESLEY NICHOLS
MRS. PATRICIA KELSEY
MRS. PEGGY GAY
MRS. ANN BEARDSLEY

REPORT OF THE TOWN HEALTH OFFICER

The review of some fifty septic system plans and subdivision proposals has constituted a major portion of my activitiy this past year.

Additional work has involved diversified situations such as bat removal, requesting people to remove trash or unpleasant material, and routine water testing.

Bucklin and Elkins beaches were monitored three times during the season in May, July and August. The State Water Testing Laboratory does this work free of charge. Seasonal fluctuations in the water quality were observed but the results are well within acceptable levels for swimming.

Pleasant Lake shore properties were reviewed during the month of August and with few exceptions the residents around the lake have been alert and have promptly corrected septic system problems.

I wish to thank the Selectmen, Planning and Zoning Boards and all others who have expressed cooperative interest in health related maters.

Respectfully submitted,

GUY F. WILLIAMS, JR.
Health Officer

REPORT OF THE HEALTH CONSULTANT TO THE TOWN HEALTH OFFICER — 1978

Since this is our Bicentennial year, I thought a little perspective might be in order. At the time of incorporation of the Town in 1779, there were perhaps 50 inhabitants with a dozen log cabins in the township. By 1800 there were 617 inhabitants. Dr. John Cushing was the first resident physician. He was described as a gallant knight who rode about the town with his saddlebags filled with pills, powders and potions. He failed to show up on his wedding day, fell out of favor, became intemperate and left the area in 1811. One hundred years ago, Dr. William P. Clough, Sr. was born. He began his practice in 1911. There had been a town Board of Health about 1900, but no hospital facilities until 1918. The now Tracy Memorial Library was the hospital at one point as was the New London Manor prior to the opening of the current New London Hospital in 1958, largely due to the vision of Dr. William P. Clough, Jr.. Fifty years ago, the New London Hospital and Nursing Association reported serving 163 patients with 15 births, 5 deaths, 25 major operations. Patients paid $5,000, the Town of New London $2,000 and $3,000 was raised from Tag Day. There were 120 students in the school system with a significant amount of dental and lesser amount of medical care delivered at the schools.

In this Bicentennial year, the hospital comprises about 40 beds for acute medical care and 50 for extended care with an annual revenue of about three million dollars and average admissions of about 1500 patients with 120 births, 560 operations, 100,000 laboratory tests and 10,000 x-ray pictures, now termed radiology exams. The Visiting Nurse Service which was quite active 50 years ago has become again an active part of health care delivery. There are now over fifty physicians and dentists associated with New London Hospital either in a primary or a consultative role. The Town health department is no longer actively involved in the delivery of health care, and reporting of contagious diseases is primarily at the state level so that at this time, it serves chiefly as a resource in case of threatened pollution from sewage, water supplies etc. Nonetheless, the town is involved in health care by its generous support of Hospital Day and helps make up for the hospital financial deficit. There has been an enormous increase in the costs of health care delivery but this coincides with an enormous improvement in the health care being provided. Hospital stays are

shorter, diagnosis more accurate, treatment more specific and restoration of function vastly improved especially in the last 25 years.

The medical community is continuing to expand its expertise and services and is demonstrating the viability and necessity for small hospitals in rural areas. Because of the increased involvement of government in health care planning, we urge support of this venture in contrast to a resigned attitude that health care as well as other social functions is best delivered at a few huge megacenters. We continue to plea for your support, money and time because without it we cannot deliver the standard of care for which we strive.

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD W. CLARK, M.D.

NEW LONDON HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION, INC.
ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SECRETARY
For 1978

The year 1978 was marked by the decision of the Board, in January, to adhere to the principles of the Voluntary Effort Program, to achieve a significant reduction in the rate of increase in health care costs, while maintaining high quality health care. This has required close cooperation among, and the mutual efforts of, the Trustees, Medical Staff and hospital management.

During the year, much time and effort has been put into dealing with the Health Systems Agency and the State Health Planning and Development Board in an attempt to attain approval for the renovations planned for in 1977, with the year 1978 ending in the same frustration as did the year 1977. In the spring, the Board voted to use $200,000.00 from the Jardine estate and $80,000.00 from the Capital Fund Account to finance the building program. This money is to be considered as a loan at a rate of interest not less than the current commercial rate.

In March, bids went out for a new food service, and subsequently the arrangement with Custom Food Management Systems was terminated. It was the decision of the Board to handle the food service internally, with a chef and dietician who would be members of the hospital staff.

In the spring, the Board received the report of the Ad Hoc ECU Study Committee, chaired by Bishop Charles Gilson, which first met in November 1977. This committee considered every phase of the Extended Care Center, as it is currently used, as well as making a determination concerning the needs of the future, and the role of this center in relation to the town. A special meeting of the Board was held to discuss this subject, as well as a meeting with the Medical Staff. As a result, it was voted to retain eight beds for skilled nursing care and to reclassify the remaining beds as intermediate care. This change became effective on October 1, 1978.

Committee activity has been a key factor in the Board activities during the year. The Investment Committee, aside from its regular meetings, has met quarterly with the New

England Investment Corporation, of Boston, for the purpose of reviewing the portfolio. The Public Relations Committee has been active in dealing with those towns served by the hospital, disseminating hospital information to the media, and in November the committee distributed a hospital Newsletter. The Joint Conference Committee has met monthly with the Medical Staff for the purpose of reviewing audits prepared by the Medical Staff, and dealing with mutual problems and concerns.

The Bylaws Committee reviewed the bylaws and made recommendations to the Board, which were adopted at the December meeting. An Ad Hoc Budget Committee of the Board was established to review and oversee the preparation of the 1978-79 budget, which was passed by the Board. The committee continues to function by reviewing the budget quarterly and reporting to the Board.

In October, the Board expressed in writing to all hospital employees, its appreciation of their holding of expenses, in all departments, below the 1977-78 budget.

During the course of the year, new room rates were adopted for both the Extended Care Center and the acute hospital.

Following considerable study and discussion, the Board voted, in November, to lease an IBM computer system 34, with an additional printer and CRT.

Upon the recommendation of the Medical Staff and the Joint Conference Committee, the following privileges were granted:

Gregory Barban, M.D.	Associate Staff	Ophthamology
Abe Goldstein, M.D.	Consulting Staff	Neurology
Jeffrey Powell, M.D.	Associate Staff	Internal Medicine

The following special appointments were made during the year 1978:

Bishop Charles Gilson	Advisory Council and Investment Committee
Dr. J. Duane Squires	Bylaws Committee
Brackett Scheffy	Advisory Council
Dr. Donald Hayes	Advisory Council

The following have served on the Board of Trustees for the year 1978:

President F. Graham McSwiney, New London
Vice President John Kiernan, New London
Treasurer Stephen Ensign, New London
Secretary Sally K. Fifield, New London
Director Harry M. Lowd, III, North Sutton

Trustees: (terms expire as shown)

(Term expires January 1979)

John Sargent, Georges Mills
Miss Katherine White, Wilmot Flat
Mrs. Beverly Little, New London
Frank Cricenti, New London
Donald Clark, M.D., New London

(Term expires January 1980)

Mrs. Alice Fowler, Andover
George G. Wells, South Sutton
John Ensor, New London
Harry B. Harris, Jr., New London

(Term expires January 1981)

Arnold Nichols, Springfield
Carl Swinnerton, Bradford
Harold Welch, New London
Jacques Coleman, Newbury

Mrs. Barbara Walsh, Summer Resident's Association
Mrs. Rosamond Hayes, Hospital Auxiliary

Respectfully submitted,

SALLY K. FIFIELD
Secretary

KEARSARGE VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION ANNUAL REPORT OF SERVICES AND ACTIVITIES

The Kearsarge Visiting Nurse Association continues to take health skills into the home and the community to meet the needs of the area residents. A total of 7605 home visits were provided in 1978 by our staff. These visits include skilled nursing care, physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech therapy, homemaker/home health aide, health education and mental health follow-up.

Home visits to your town in 1978 total 2,238.

New activities this past year:

March of Dimes grant enabled agency to sponsor prenatal Classes.
Cancer screening clinics were held in cooperation with the New London Cancer Unit.
Infant carseat loan program with safety instruction was initiated.
Participation in area SCAN committee organized to promote Screening for Child Abuse and Neglect.

Clinics:

The agency continues to offer the following:
Immunization and TB testing.
Child health.
Adult health screening (including blood pressure clinics).
Dental.

Anticipated activities:

Expansion of homemaker and home health aide programs.
The W.I.C.* program is currently available to residents of Sullivan County and it is to be expanded in 1979 to residents of Merrimack County.

*The W.I.C. program provides basic supplementary foods to pregnant Women, Infants and young Children in low-income families.

A Board of Directors manages the agency's activities and two residents from each town unselfishly devote many hours to

serving on it. Your town representatives are:

Mrs. George B. Emeny and Mr. Ronald Baird

Because you care, KVNA is there.

Report submitted by,

JANE HEALD, *Administrator*
Tanya Wilkie, *Director*
Professional Services

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE NEW LONDON AMBULANCE SERVICE

Operating Income & Expense Statement
January 1, 1978 - December 31, 1978

Balance unexpended beginning of year			$6,301.00
Operating Income from Town Appropriation:			
January			
February			
March			
April	4,321.72		
May	1,080.41		
June	1,080.41		
July	1,080.41		
August			
September	2,160.82		
October	1,080.41		
November	2,160.82		
December			
		$12,965.00	
Town of Sutton	300 .00		
		300.00	
		13,265.00	
Operating Expenses			
Attendant Salaries	19,977.00		
Wehicle Maintenance	578.00		

Other Expenses	2,174.00		
To be Transferred to Savings for Amortization Year 1978	2,000.00		
		24,729.00	
To be applied toward 1979 operating budget			$1,530.00
			13,265.00
Operating Income from Calls	6,693.00		
Other Income		6,693.00	
	19,958.00		

Operating Expenses

NEW LONDON AMBULANCE SERVICE
year of 1978

New London	103
Danbury	6
Sunapee	13
Wilmot	16
Sutton	8
Grantham	4
Mary Hitchock Memorial Hospital	54
Mt. Sunapee	2
I 89	20
Springfield	6
Massachusetts	4
White River Jct. V.A. Hospital	2
Georges Mills	13
Claremont	17
Newbury	7
Elkins	5
Merrimack County Home	2
Concord (State Hospitla)	2
Bradford	3
Warner	1
103 a	1
103	1
Alice Peck Day Hospital	1
Concord	4
Newport	1
Boscawen	1
4-A	1
Lebanon Airport	1
Franklin	1
Croydon	1
TOTAL	301

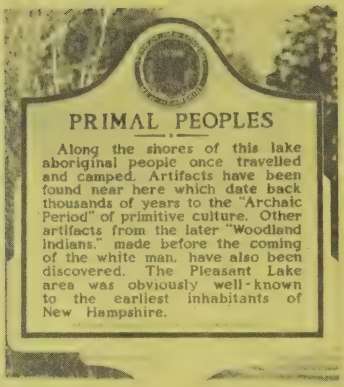
TOWN OF NEW LONDON
BICENTENNIAL CELEBRATION
PROGRAM

New London celebrates 200 years in 1979 and this marks the third time the town has noted with appropriate ceremonies its beginnings in 1779. There appears no record of any anniversary activity when the town became fifty years old in 1829. In 1879 the town celebrated one hundred years of history in a gala fashion. Again, in 1929, the sesquicentennial of New London provided an exciting time of remembrance. This year will not be different. A wonderful program has been prepared by the Town Historical Committee. You are invited to join in honoring 200 years of history in New London.

Much has changed since 1779, and especially since the last celebration. In 1929 the town's total assessed valuation was $1,631,009.00. Our present valuation amounts to $79,342,840.00. In 1929 New London paid $14,783.10 to educate young people - today the cost is $827,461.00. In 1929 New London's police department cost $290.61. This year the cost is $112,437.64.

The foregoing figures reflect the transformation that has taken place. New London is a big town now. Still, New London's beauty and its people are what is important as New London moves forward into its third century.

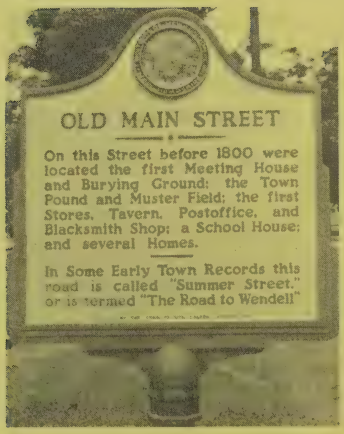
Alf E. Jacobson
Chairman
Board of Selectmen



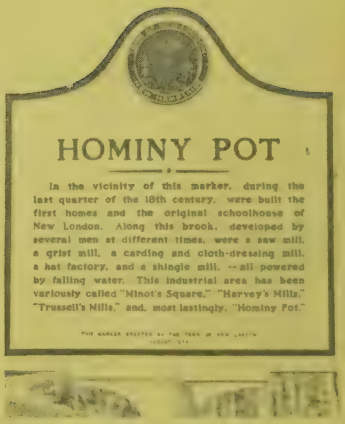
Location: West side of Pleasant Lake



Location: Knight's Hill Road



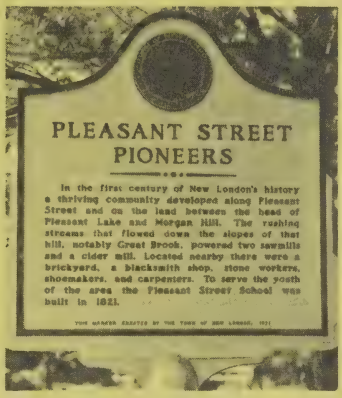
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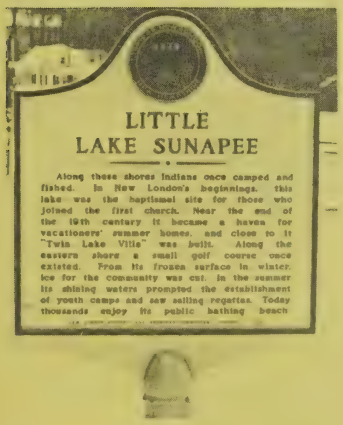
Location: Highway 11 near Ramp I-89 North



Location: Main Street
Just North of Crockett's
Corner



Location: North end of
Pleasant Lake



Location: Town Bathing
Beach at Little Lake
Sunapee



Location: Near the bridge in
Otterville

Bicenntenial events which have been planned as of March 1979.

February	18	New London Outing Club Winter Carnival
March	1	Post Office to start using 200th Birthday cancellation for six months to end September 30, 1979
March	13	200th TOWN MEETING / Auction of low numbered silver medals Also orders for cachets and sale of medals
March	28	Ham and Bean Supper sponsored by Town Hall Refurbishers
April	1	Bicentennial Revue, sponsored by the New London Historical Society, written by Norman Leger and directed by the Rev. Robert T. Goodwin - 8 P.M., Town Hall
April	5, 6, 7	Chamber of Commerce Spring Art Show - Town Hall
May	6	Dedication of Chamber of Commerce Highway Signs
May	11	Bicentennial Thank You Party sponsored by Town Hall Refurbishers
May	25, 26	New London Garden Club Flower Show and "Happy Birthday - New London" Bicentennial Birthday Party
June		Bicentennial Marathon - date to be announced
June	12 - 17	OUR TOWN presented by New London Players at Barn Playhouse
June	17	OLD NEW LONDON DAY sponsored by New London Historical Society at the New London Historical Society Grounds
June	24	Founding Families Exhibit at Colby Academy Building and Honor-Roll Display of 100-year families
June	25	COMMEMORATION OF THE FOUNDING OF THE TOWN OF NEW LONDON 8 P.M. - Sawyer Center - Colby-Sawyer College Presiding Officer - Dr. Alf Jacobson Introduction of Guests Historical Address by Dr. J. Duane Squires Special Greetings from other New Londons in USA and from Her majesty's Government in England Appropriate Musical Interludes The Band Harold Smith, Director and Impresario Presentation of the Bicentennial Quilt

June	25	SPECIAL FIRST DAY COVER - Cachet - Town Seal and notation of date as 200th anniversary of the incorporation of the Town of New London
June	29	Pageant and Fireworks
June	30	Band Concert, Pageant and Fireworks
July	1	Parade, Pageant and Fireworks Parade headed by American Legion Post #40 Color Guard Judging of Beard Growing Contest - sponsored by New London Lions Club
July	4	Celebrations all day and evening
July	6	Elkins Ladies Benevolent Society Fair
July	7	St. Andrews Church Fair
July	7, 8	Glider Meet at Buker Air Strip
July	11	Summer Music Associates Concert - LIEDERKREIS (Circle of Song) a vocal quartet of distinguished soloists who devote themselves to the rarely heard vocal chamber repertoire of the masters
July	20	Baptist Church Summer Country Fair
July	26	Garden Party sponsored by the Friends and Board of Trustees of the Tracy Memorial Library "Tribute to Mrs. Tracy - A Touch of Elegance"
August	3	Special Commemorative Town Meeting - 8 P.M., Town Hall SPECIAL FIRST DAY COVER — Cachet - Sign Commemorating the site of the Town's first town meeting
August	4	Hospital Day - Bicentennial Parade
September		Completion of Markers for old houses
October	13, 14	Our Lady of Fatima Harvest Fair
October	21	Art, Music, Theatre sponsored by Colby-Sawyer College
November	16	Baptist Church Christmas Fair
November	22	Joint Church Service for Thanksgiving - all churches to participate
December	5	The Friends of the Library - Colby-Sawyer College A film and commentary about Robert Frost by Dewitt Jones
December	10	Presentation of the Time Capsule to the Board of Selectmen

ADDITIONAL EVENTS WILL BE SCHEDULED LATER.



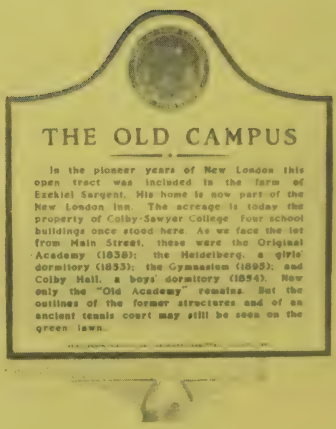
Location: Village Green in Elkins



Location: Main Street, South of Entrance to Colby-Sawyer College



Location: County Road, just East of Hilltop

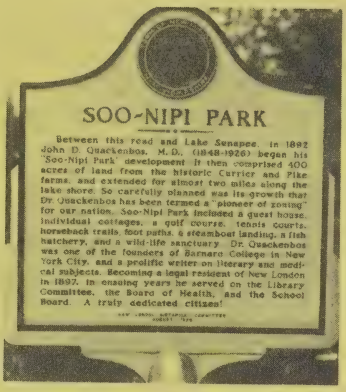


Location: Main Street Adjacent to Town Hall

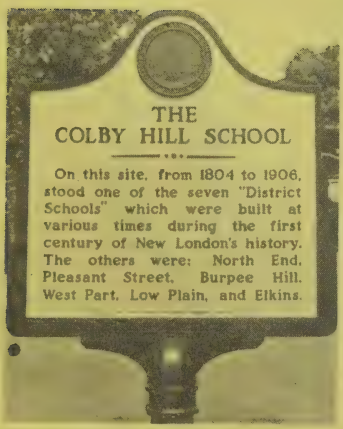
RIZED IN SIXTEEN TOWN HISTORICAL MARKERS



Location: Highway 11, at intersection with Tracy Farm Road



Location: Highway 114 Near Newbury Town Line



Location: Contiguous to Town Parking Lot



Location: Route 114 at Herrick Cove



The Official Town Seal of New London was designed by Vincent Schofield Wickham and adopted for use by the Town in 1962.



The Official Bicentennial Seal for the Town of New London is the result of a Design Contest in 1978 won by R. David MacMichael.

COMMUNITY ACTION ANNUAL REPORT

The Kearsarge Valley Community Action Program is the focal point of social service delivery in this area. Community Action is part of the Community Services Administration of the federal government. The program is designed to help the low-income and the elderly in your town. The programs are run out of the Community Action office in the Community Building (Old Graded School) in Warner. The Community Services Administration pays for 61% of the cost of running the center and the remaining 39% ($9,733.50) is divided up among the eight towns based upon the percentage of local residents participation in the programs.

This money brings a variety of programs and services into the area at an estimated cash value of over $150,000, though it is impossible to put a price tag on many of the services we provide.

One of our most successful programs is that of ervice to senior citizens in the area. Twenty-eight senior citizens receive meals-on-wheels (in addition to those who get them from New London Hospital). a congregate meal for seniors is served very Tuesday andFriday at noon at the Community Building in Warner and in Henniker there is a congregate meal the second Monday of every month. Community Action Program provides free bus service into Concord every Tuesday and Thursday for seniors who need to get to the doctor or do shopping.

Among the other programs are the Weatherization program to help low-income people insulate their homes and an Emergency Energy Assistance Program to help with the expense of home heating.

Respectfully submitted,

PERRY CAYES
KVCAP
Area Director

NEW LONDON CEMETERY COMMISSION

The development of the new area adjacent to the Old Main Street Cemetery in the vicinity of the Town Pound was completed, except for the final surveying necessary for the layout of new burial plots. It is anticipated that similar work will be done in 1979 in the area deeded to the Town adjacent to the West Part Cemetery on County Road.

Negotiations were conducted with our maintenance contractor, Superior Lawn Maintenance, Inc., in order to greatly improve and maintain the physical conditions in our three cemeteries. This was accomplished by the employment of two very capable and experienced men, namely, former Road Agent Willis Prescott and former Cemetery Commissioner William Taylor. It is felt that the obvious improvements this past summer have clearly justified the increased expenditure.

There were 22 interments, (including 2 cremations), during the year 1978 at the following locations:- 6 at Old Main St.; 11 at Elkins; 4 at West Part, and 1 at the Catholic Cemetery in Elkins.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTON W. CHADWICK, SR.
HENRY J. HOMAN, JR.
FREDERICK W. PHILLIPS
Cemetery Commissioners

FINANCIAL STATEMENT — 1978

INCOME

On Hand - January 1,1978	$ 1,819.77
Town of New London (Appropriation)	6,500.00
Trustees of Trust Funds	10,000.00
Cemetery Openings	1,945.00
Sale of Burial Plots	925.00
Shrubbery (Reimbursement by Lot Owners)	146.80
Total Income	$ 21,336.57

EXPENSES

Contract Labor	$ 14,400.00
To Trustees of Trust Funds (Plot Sales)	925.00
Mat'l & Misc. Labor (Incl. Old Main St. Addition)	1,445.20
Misc. Supplies, Transp. & Expenses	373.91
Total Expenses	$ 17,144.11
On Hand Dec. 31, 1978	$ 4,192.46

THE NEW LONDON INFORMATION BOOTH

The booth is open and very active in July, August through Labor Day.

In 1978 we had over 2,000 cars, 950 people inquiring for hotel accommodations, golf courses, lakes, brooks for fishing, churches, public beaches, picnic grounds, hiking trails, antique shops and country auction.

Tourists from 40 states, many European doctors and business executives taking weekly courses at Gordon Research at Colby-Sawyer visit the booth.

The trailing pink geraniums in the flower boxes are much admired and photographed. They are donated by the New London Garden Club.

Respectfully submitted
MURIEL J. MORRISON

REPORT OF THE TOWN ROAD AGENT

The winter of 1978 was an average winter with the usual snow and ice storms. We had several breakdowns in our sanders, but managed to get by without too many problems. One of our drivers had a serious operation and was out for several weeks but we were fortunate to be able to hire an experienced replacement.

Most of the summer and money was spent on County Road, which developed into a major project. Trees had to be cut, drainage had to be put in, and much of the old road was replaced with sand and gravel. Finally it was surfaced and sealed. We feel that it was well worth the money and effort.

Some of the other projects undertaken throughout the year were the resurfacing of Prescott Lane, part of Pressy Court, part of the Old Stagecoach Road, Currier's Corner, and the end of Job Seamans Acres. Another drain was installed on Burpee Lane in hopes that it will improve the very muddy situation in the spring. Much cutting of trees was done on Lakeshore Road and culverts were replaced or extended. Stumps were removed and some widening was done as part of the plans for shimming this road in 1979.

Respectfully submitted,

GERALD C. PRESCOTT
Road Agent

REPORT OF THE TOWN HISTORY AND ARCHIVES COMMITTEE

"Looking Ahead to New London's 200th Birthday in 1979"

As New London reaches the 200th Anniversary Year of its incorporation as a Town by our State Legislature on June 25, 1779, we continue our practice of putting in the Town Report (1) a statement of events which concerned our community two centuries ago in 1779, and (2) a summary of what our committee has done in the past year.

Events of 1779

The chief activity in the War during 1779 which affected the people of New London was General John Sullivan's campaign against the Iroquois Indians of New York State. General Sullivan took with him on this drive all three of New Hampshire's Continental regiments. In one of these marched James Lamb, the first permanent settler in New London, and the father of the first child born within our community. While his fellow townfolk watched war news with concern, they also continued the effort to win a Charter from the New Hampshire State Legislature at Exeter.

During 1978 our Committee dedicated the 16th and last historical marker in its program to prepare for the 200th Birthday in 1979. This marker commemorates the old Colby Academy and was unveiled in August on the historic campus adjacent to the New London Town Hall.

In 1978, also, efforts to organize the Town Archives continued. The importance of having these in good order was illustrated during the year by the visit of an historical scholar from Georgia who is doing extensive research into New England town records prior to 1800. As time goes by, more and more students will come to examine these materials, either for genealogical or general purposes, and our Town may be proud of the condition in which these valuable records are organized and preserved.

Respectfully submitted,

J. DUANE SQUIRES *Chairman*

1978

NEW LONDON GRADUATES

KEARSARGE REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

Robert Andrews
Karen Barrett
Chris Bonewald
Mark Brady
Peter Brown
Amelia Bucklin
Susan Coromel
Betsy Cottrill
Doreen Cricenti
Elizabeth Crockford
Peter Donovan
Deborah Dorley
Caroline Edmunds
Peter Ettenborough
Kathy Ewing
Keith Faccone
Terry Gilvar
Jeanne Hayes
John M. Holton, III
Patricia Ilnicki
Kurt Jacobson
Carol Kozikowski
Amanda Lovell
David Lull
Randy Mann
August Moosbrugger (*AFS Student*)
Melissa Olney
Laura Phillips
Thomas Reney
Mary Stetson
Susan Ware
Margaret Williams
Lenore Wright

Births registered in the Town of New London, N.H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1978

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Place of Birth	Sex	Name and Birthplace of Father	Maiden Name and Birthplace of Mother	Residence of Parents
January 10	Jeffrey Jacob	New London	M	Gary H. Currier Vermont	Elizabeth C. Ebersole New York	Andover
January 11	Nathaniel Allan	New London	M	Allan J. Bolduc New Hampshire	Rebecca L. Decatur New Hampshire	Andover
January 13	Andrea Irene	New London	F	Stuart C. Stone, Jr. New Hampshire	Ann-Marie Faulkner New Hampshire	East Lempster
January 17	Shama Lemuel	New London	M	Timothy A. Jacob Maine	Nancy Naomi Blythe Pennsylvania	East Lempster
January 19	Joseph Free	New London	M	Scott E. Hancock Massachusetts	Rebecca J. Austin New Hampshire	Sunapee
January 20	Samuel Joseph	New London	M	Ralph W. Keeler, III New Hampshire	Carolyn Goldthwaite Connecticut	East Lempster
January 23	Kerry Shaun	Hanover	M	John D. Burns, Sr. New Hampshire	Kathleen L. Traynor New York	New London
February 4	Jonathan Edward	New London	M	David P. Daniels New Hampshire	Nancy J. Caron New Hampshire	Sunapee
February 6	Brian Dean	New London	M	Bruce D. Armstrong New Hampshire	Marion E. Hillsgrove New Hampshire	Danbury
February 7	Hilary Lumina	New London	F	Dennis J. Bolduc New Hampshire	Joyce B. Pastore New Hampshire	Georges Mills
February 9	Jennifer Adele	New London	F	Charles E. Goyette, Jr. New Hampshire	Francoise L. Guay New Hampshire	Sunapee
February 12	Anastasia Leslie	Hanover	F	Gary Pick Robinson Rhode Island	Joan L. Gintoff Connecticut	New London
February 14	Rachel Nicole	New London	F	Ronald W. Menard Massachusetts	Jean Parker Massachusetts	Grantham
February 15	John Roland	New London	M	Roland J. Proper New Hampshire	Jo Ann Valcourt New Hampshire	Newport
February 16	Kris William	New London	M	Richard W. Sanborn, Jr. New Hampshire	Karen L. Gove New Hampshire	Danbury

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Place of Birth	Sex	Name and Birthplace of Father	Maiden Name and Birthplace of Mother	Residence of Parents
April 17	Matthew David	New London	M	Burton L. Weir Maine	Barbara Jacob Maine	East Lempster
April 20	Nicholas Erich	New London	M	Alan E. Vassar Massachusetts	Donna R. Chadwick Massachusetts	Sutton
April 23	Kenneth Michael	New London	M	Winthrop H. Langill New Hampshire	Belinda A. Clark New Hampshire	Goshen
April 25	Thorin Neumann	New London	M	Charles N. Decatur Massachusetts	Lynne K. Neumann New York	New London
April 26	Curt Michael	New London	M	Mark A. Cummings Washington, D.C.	Mary L. Vaccaro California	New London
May 1	Edward Nicholas	New London	M	Edward J. Bruno Massachusetts	Jerri S. Young New Hampshire	Lempster
May 1	Niel Ferguson, Jr.	New London	M	Niel F. Weathers New York	Wendy Martin Massachusetts	New London
May 2	Kelly Ann	New London	F	Joseph E. Fitzpatrick Rhode Island	Patricia A. Kenny Rhode Island	Bradford
May 4	Rachel Lynn	New London	F	Bruce E. Gould New Hampshire	Linda G. Habets New Hampshire	Newport
May 5	Maura Jean	New London	F	Thomas D. McQuade, Jr. New York	Andrea J. Carbonneau Massachusetts	New London
May 7	Trista Anne	New London	F	Wm. H. J. Turgeon New Hampshire	Deborah G. Lorden New Hampshire	Newport
May 7	Lindsey Anne	New London	F	James N. Schust Michigan	Grace E. Grasmere New Jersey	Potter Place
May 8	Siobhan Catherine	New London	F	James F. Kizis New York	Elizabeth B. Gardiner Washington, D.C.	Sunapee
May 10	Harold Earle IV	New London	M	Harold E. Kidder III New Hampshire	Velma K. Lawler Texas	E. Andover
May 13	Erin Leigh	New London	F	Thomas C. Dombroski Connecticut	Deborah Franz New Hampshire	Claremont
May 14	Nicloe Leigh	New London	F	Gordon E. Blood Jr. New Hampshire	Lisa M. Hurd Washington	Claremont
May 16	Kira Meyer	New London	F	Colin S. Campbell New Hampshire	Edith K. Meyer Massachusetts	Potter Place

February 22	Brandon Edson	New London
February 24	Sarah Lynn	New London
Feburary 25	Jillian Rae	New London
March 1	Kimberly Michelle	New London
March 3	Victoria Ruth	New London
March 4	Joshua Mark	New London
March 9	Jessica Frances	New London
March 10	Michael Oscar	New London
March 14	Richard Albert III	New London
March 20	Aaron Mead	New London
March 24	Jonathan Ferland	Concord
March 28	Joshua James	New London
March 30	Scott Anthony	New London
March 30	Lisa Lyn	New London
March 31	Caleb Alfred	New London
April 10	Jesse Ora	New London
April 10	Erich August	New London
April 12	Katelyn Marie	New London
April 12	Stephen Douglas II	New London

M	Robert W. Kirk, Jr. New Hampshire	Debra Ann Hurd Massachusetts	Claremont
F	James L. Hill Vermont	Martha L. Rowell Massachusetts	Grafton
F	Edward J. Masgula New York	Cathie L. Silance New Jersey	Wilmot Flat
F	David L. Johnson Florida	Deborah Smith Missouri	South Newbury
F	Danny C. MacCreighton New Hampshire	Cynthia A. Prew New Hampshire	Warner
M	Leonard E. Adams, Jr. New Hampshire	Andrea A. Goyette New Hampshire	E. Lempster
F	Mark J. Lather New Hampshire	Catherine M. Bechok New Hampshire	Lempster
M	Stephen L. Brooks Massachusetts	Ernestine R. Stevens Massachusetts	Newport
M	Richard A. Powers, Jr. Texas	Patricia T. Sawyer New Hampshire	Andover
M	Paul M. Currier New Hampshire	Lynette J. Provencal New Hampshire	Andover
M	Donald L. Parrish Iowa	Rachel M. Ferland Maine	New London
M	Norman B. Warren Mississippi	Katherine C. Jephcott Canada	Andover
M	Frank M. Gratacos New Jersey	Antoinette M. Davis New Hampshire	Claremont
F	Charles I. Goodale Vermont	Susan A. Webber New Hampshire	Bradford
M	Raymond A. Sanville New Hampshire	Betty J. Maxham Vermont	Newport
M	Jack Ora Barton New Hampshire	Lucia Dunpy New Hampshire	Newport
M	Rudolf A. Adler New York	Doris A. Anderson New York	East Lempster
F	John G. Crimi New York	Lillian F. Eagan New York	Warner
M	Stephen D. Northroup New York	Carole A. Stickney New York	Newbury

May 21	Andrew Jackson III	New London
June 8	Nina Mae	New London
June 11	Stacey Lynn	New London
June 17	Bonnie Jo	New London
June 19	Corey Allen	New London
June 20	Maori Lyn	New London
June 21	Timothy Christopher	New London
June 22	William Webster	New London
June 28	Jeremy Kenneth	New London
June 29	Travis Scott	New London
July 3	Jennifer Northcott	New London
July 3	Thomas Wheeler	Hanover
July 31	Hillary Birch	New London
August 4	Matthew John	New London
August 19	Justin David	New London
August 21	Mark Daniel	New London
August 21	Lindsay Christine	New London
August 24	Ariel Brackett	New London
August 29	Darren Nelson	New London

M	David H. Kidder New Hampshire	Janet M. Rossi Missouri	New London	
F	David C. Barton Jr. New Hampshire	Patsy J. Judkins New Hampshire	Newport	
F	Roger L. Evans New Hampshire	Denise T. LaClair Michigan	Newport	
F	William S. Stevens New Hampshire	Deborah E. Wood New Hampshire	Goshen	
M	Dave A. Davis New Hampshire	Saly W. Duffey New Hampshire	Newbury	
F	Martin K. Stanton New Hampshire	Merilou L. Harling Massachusetts	Bradford	
M	Terance C. Higginson New York	Janet M. Ayer New Hampshire	Henniker	
M	William C. Patten New Hampshire	Jean E. Webster New Hampshire	Newport	
M	Emery F. Smith Jr. Florida	Julie J. Wheeler New Hampshire	W. Springfield	
M	Phillip A. Ash New Hampshire	Teresa D. Lucas New York	Goshen	
F	Steven S. Berkeley Massachusetts	Mary E. Northcott New Hampshire	W. Springfield	
M	James B. Robjent Massachusetts	Catherine E. Wheeler Maine	New London	
F	Clinton H. Lyon New York	Hilda L. Dorley New Hampshire	New London	
M	Walter L. Truell New Hampshire	Crystal A. Thibedau Massachusetts	Newport	
M	David H. Lillie Vermont	Patricia A. Cormier Vermont	Newport	
M	Gordon M. Avery New Hampshire	Bonnie L. Koloski New Hampshire	Newport	
F	James P. Currier New Hampshire	Cynthia C. Mulcahey New York	Georges Mills	
F	Brackett L. Scheffy New York	Mauri A. Gould Massachusetts	Bradford	
M	Ralph G. Gove, Jr. New Hampshire	Denise L. Delano New Hampshire	Potter Place	

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Place of Birth	Sex	Name and Birthplace of Father	Maiden Name and Birthplace of Mother	Residence of Parents
August 30	Gilbert James	New London	M	Kevin J. Corliss Pennsylvania	Gene B. Gilbert New Jersey	Newport
September 4	Kerri Leigh	New London	F	Walter C. Elhardt New York	Christine E. Rose New York	Guild
September 20	Craig Curtis	Concord	M	Robert Fraley Ohio	Carolyn E. Barker New Jersey	New London
September 21	Kriston Charles	New London	M	Harlan H. Page New Hampshire	Brenda R. Gould New Hampshire	Newport
September 28	Ryan Craig	Concord	M	Criag W. Sliter New Hampshire	Lorraine A. Homan New Hampshire	New London
September 28	Lianne Michele	New London	F	Stuart L. Stone New Hampshire	Mary A. Riviezzo New Hampshire	Claremont
October 2	James Vincent	New London	M	Edward J. Wiggins New Hampshire	Martha A. Andrews Massachusetts	Sunapee
October 5	Nathan Charles	New London	M	James A. Hjermstad Colorado	Charlene J. Young New Jersey	Danbury
October 9	Michael Raymond	New London	M	Victor M. Mortivirdi Connecticut	Marie A. Eggers Connecticut	Andover
October 19	Heather Anne	New London	F	Lester E. Rossiter New Hampshire	Elizabeth A. Jacobs New Hampshire	Newport
October 23	Patrick Wesley	New London	M	Wesley W. Ash New Hampshire	Wanda L. Thomas New Hampshire	Lempster
October 23	Molly	New London	F	Kim Sharp Rhode Island	Carolyn E. Haskins Massachusetts	Alexandria
October 23	Lisa	New London	F	Paul B. Parker Massachusetts	Linda J. Patten New Hampshire	New London
October 29	Kim-ly May	New London	F	Lenwood E. Brown New York	Yen Minh Le Camau	Sunapee
November 3	Megan Jean	New London	F	Lawrence B. Ballin New Jersey	Katherine E. deMontigny Connecticut	New London
November 4	Mathias James	New London	M	Bruce D. Emmerton Maine	Robin A. Chalmers Vermont	So. Sutton
November 7	Devon Thomson	Hanover	F	Joseph A. DiClerico Massachusetts	Laurie B. Thomson Massachusetts	New London

November	11	Kevin Patrick	New London	M	Richard D. Crowe III Maine	Brenda E. Vernon New York	No. Sutton
November	13	Jesse Hagen	New London	M	Kenneth W. Inslee New York	Andrea H. Goebel New York	New London
November	14	Steven Walter	New London	M	Walter N. Bowers, Jr. New Hampshire	Debra J. Sawyer New Hampshire	Warner
November	18	Michelle Beth	New London	F	Gary R. Shepard Vermont	Robin L. Barnes New Hampshire	Sunapee
November	19	Nicholas James	New London	M	Donald E. O'Clair New Hampshire	Martha E. Roberts Massachusetts	Newport
November	21	Brandy Lee	New London	F	Randall Waterman New Hampshire	Sharlene A. Doxter New Hampshire	Newport
November	24	Angie Marie	New London	F	Christian P. Baldwin III Washington, D.C.	Brenda L. Loring New Hampshire	Newport
November	26	Jason Scott	New London	M	Michael L. Thornton New Hampshire	Ginny J. Pearson Vermont	Newport
November	26	Matthew Robert	New London	M	John B. Abbott New Jersey	Loretta J. Young Connecticut	Goshen
November	28	Benjamin Roland	New London	M	Peter O. Crowell Massachusetts	Francoise A. Roland France	New London
November	29	Becky Lynn	New London	F	Stephen F. Hanson New Hampshire	Linda F. Rand New York	Warner
December	3	Jonathan Jacob	New London	M	Wayne B. Face Massachusetts	Sharon L. Blythe Arkansas	Hillsboro
December	4	Matthew Edward	New London	M	Edward J. Thorson Massachusetts	Karen G. Plaisted Massachusetts	Newbury
December	5	James Mac Rae	New London	M	Paul F. Harlow New Hampshire	Victoria Rae Massachusetts	Elkins
December	6	Dale James Jr.	New London	M	Dale J. Dukette, Sr. New Hampshire	Jeanne L. French New Hampshire	Andover
December	12	Christopher Daniel	New London	M	Daniel A. Boyce New Hampshire	Cindy A. Willis New Hampshire	Newport
December	12	Mary Rebecca	New London	F	Robert G. Barrett New Hampshire	Rebecca M. Prew New Hampshire	New London
December	16	Nicole Ann	New London	F	Raymond E. Currier, Jr. New Hampshire	Brenda L. Byron New Hampshire	Newport
December	16	Scott Zachary	New London	M	Bejamin P. Barton New Hampshire	Kathy A. Chapman Indiana	Claremont

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Place of Birth	Sex	Name and Birthplace of Father	Maiden Name and Birthplace of Mother	Residence of Parents
December 18	William Lee	New London	M	Ronald I. Rines New Hampshire	Debbie A. Headley New Hampshire	Newport
December 22	Jessica Rose	New London	F	William P. Lucas New York	Kim Ellen Keyser North Carolina	Bradford
December 26	Kristin Beth	New London	F	James I. Gundersen Connecticut	Katrina S. Vernlund Pennsylvania	Washington
December 27	Shane Kenneth	New London	M	Kenneth C. Rowe New Hampshire	Paula L. Putnam New Hampshire	Newport
December 28	Bryant Eric	New London	M	Brian G. Lavoie New Hampshire	Cheryl J. Henault New Hampshire	Newport
December 31	Corey William Jr.	New London	M	Corey W. Noble Maine	Juli A. Karambelas Rhode Island	So. Newbury

Deaths Registered in the Town of New London, N.H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1978

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age	Birthplace	Sex	Mar.. Wid. Sing.	Occupation	Name of Father and Maiden Name of Mother
Jan. 7	New London	Lenore Jean Hoffman	92	Colorado	F	W	Housewife	Henry Putnam Margaret Downs
Jan. 9	New London	Dorothea E. Flett	81	Massachusetts	F	W	Housewife	William Kellough Eva King
Jan. 9	New London	Wayland R. Porter	82	Massachusetts	M	M	Ret. Math/Physics Tea.	R. Lynn Porter Harriet Beecher Allen
Jan. 9	Claremont	Clara L. Swenson	93	Colorado	F	W	Teacher	Sven Swenson Anna Anderson
Jan. 23	New London	Edwin Andrew Pike	76	Vermont	M	M	Builder/Inn Proprietor	Alfred Pike Eunice Roberts
Jan. 24	New London	Donald Sweet	66	New Hampshire	M	M	Auto Repairman	Henry Sweet Ada K. Fellows
Jan. 24	New London	Charles L. Jacobs	84	Florida	M	M	Dir. Vet. Hospital	Charles M. Jacobs Mary Jane Unknown
Jan. 25	New London	George S. Hunter	24	Nova Scotia	M	W	Ret. Rec. Clerk	William Hunter Mary Keating
Jan. 26	New London	Delbert L. Harris, Sr.	79	Massachusetts	M	W	Machinist	Alberton Harris Mary Burnett
Jan. 28	New London	Joseph Anthony Tebaldi	77	Massachusetts	M	M	Private Chauffeur	Unknown Unknown
Jan. 31	New London	Floyd C. DuBois	68	New York	M	M	Owner Cmpr/Bt Dlrshp.	Jesse DuBois Mary F. Coleman
Feb. 3	New London	Richard F. Champy	32	Massachusetts	M	M	State Police Tropper	Francis Champy Janet Karcz

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Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age	Birthplace	Sex	Mar.. Wid. Sing.	Occupation	Name of Father and Maiden Name of Mother
Feb. 10	New London	George L. Enman, Sr.	70	New Hampshire	M	M	Custodian & Farmer	George David Enman Charlotte Matthews
Feb. 10	New London	Ralph E. Howard	54	Vermont	M	M	Live Stock Dealer	Darrell Howard Myra Duke
Feb. 12	New London	Wilder Kenneth Pray	89	Massachusetts	M	W	Retired	Wilder Prescott Pray Ema L. Higgons
Feb. 14	New London	Paul Leon Benner	73	Maine	M	M	Garage Proprietor	Charles E. Benner Isabella Babcock
Feb. 15	Hanover	David Dart	63	Massachusetts	M	M	Ret. Comm. Artist	Richard Dart Sarah Hogarth
Feb. 28	New London	Ray F. Hall	88	New Hampshire	M	W	Ret. B & M RR (Maint)	Carlton R. Hall Martha Melendy
Mar. 5	New London	Ellen DeWitt Clemens	89	Massachusetts	F	W	Ret. Domestic Cook	Benjamin F. DeWitt Mary Stacy
Mar. 13	New London	Myrtle B. Augherton	79	New Hampshire	F	M	Housewife-Florist	George Ashley Ann White
Mar. 15	Ashland	Edith Evelyn Perkins	83	New Hampshire	F	W	Housewife	Sidney Moses Pedrick Nettie Emery
Mar. 20	New London	Lucy M. Wheeler	84	Massachusetts	F	W	Housewife	Michael O'Brien Mary Ann Paul
April 10	New London	Lester Francis Hall	85	New Hampshire	M	W	Farmer	John A. Hall Mary C. Smith
April 11	New London	Eliot E. Holbrook	76	Massachusetts	M	W	Lineman Retired	Eugene Holbrook Harriet Bacon

April	23	New London	Ralph S. Charles	81	Massachusetts	M	W	Retired	George Charles Mary Ellen Jones
April	25	New London	Charlotte E. Rogers	80	Masschusetts	F	W	Ret. Dental Asst.	Aaron Ellsworth Eliza Hollingsworth
April	26	New London	Inez M. Latva	70	New Hampshire	F	W	Housewife	Hanner Blomquist Josephine Unknown
May	6	New London	George C. Appel, Jr.	35	Louisiana	M	M	Cap. U.S. Army	George C. Appel Dorothy S. Bagnetto
May	8	New London	Myrtle Blanche Muzzey	81	New Hampshire	F	M	Housewife	Edward Greene Myra Burt
May	11	New London	Fred M. Ghibellini	71	Italy	M	M	Retired	Victor Ghibellini Amelia Salvati
May	14	New London	Alice Moore Wilkins	69	New Jersey	F	M	Housewife	Issas Steenson Elizabeth Moore
May	14	New London	Fannie Louise Anthony	79	Connecticut	F	W	Housewife	Clarence Robinson Grace Barkham
May	24	Hartford, Vt.	Charles A. Aaron, Jr.	64	Ohio	M	M	Retail Merchant	Charles Aaron Carre (Fenberg)
June	10	New London	Hillman R. Blakney	68	Nova Scotia	M	M	Ret. Carpenter	Alexander Blakney Harriet Blakeney
June	17	Hanover, N.H.	Jean W. Stevens	53	New York	F	M	Housewife	Herbert Webb Floy Randall
June	19	New London	Arthur F. Woodward	96	New Hampshire	M	W	Carpenter	Frank Woodward Annie Butterworth
June	28	New London	John H. Maguire	65	New York	M	M	Rest. Proprietor	John Maguire Anna F. O'Connor
June	30	New London	Dorothy B. Calkin	84	Massachusetts	F	W	Housewife	George Bailey Almira White

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age	Birthplace	Sex	Mar.. Wid. Sing.	Occupation	Name of Father and Maiden Name of Mother
July 16	New London	Marguerite S. Scheu	87	New York	F	W	Housewife	Stephen L. Stone Fannie Howe
July 18	New London	Margaret M. Browder	65	Massachusetts	F	D	Summer Camp Asst.	Marshall G. Meriam Ethel Briggs
July 19	New London	James S. Caverly	86	Massachusetts	M	M	Ret. Yardmaster	Chester Caverly Mary Armstrong
July 28	New London	Albert J. Sholes	79	New Hampshire	M	M	Custodian	Edward J. Sholes Jennie Smith
Aug. 4	New London	Margaret R. Barnes	71	Pennsylvania	F	M	Housewife	Henry Atherton Ethel Hutchings
Aug. 6	New London	Douglas E. Page	72	New Hampshire	M	M	Gen. Contractor	Edward Page Selma Ott
Aug. 14	Hanover, N.H.	Susan F. Paige	37	New York	F	M	Housewife	William H. Fletcher Charlotte Goodwill
Aug. 14	New London	Lou R. Draper	90	Connecticut	F	W	Housewife	Albert Rey Annie Commbs
Aug. 17	New London	Doris O. Bardsley	86	New York	F	W	Housewife	Nils Olsson Ingeborg Nyberg
Aug. 20	New London	Effie M. Ross	68	Canada	F	M	Housewife	Michael Penny E. Victoria Seward
Aug. 21	New London	Albert E. Greanoff	88	Ohio	M	W	Ret. Episcopal Rect.	Samuel Greanoff Mary Ann Thornton
Aug. 23	Franklin	Cynthia B. Dewey	72	Vermont	F	S	At Home	Charles H. Dewey Emma Bradford
Aug. 23	New London	Winfield L. Mason Sr.	71	Vermont	M	M	Retired	Exvia Mason Eliza Macie
Aug. 23	New London	Inga Schenck	82	Sweden	F	W	Housewife	David Bergstrom Ingrid Anjou

Sept.	4	New London	Curtis H. Caldwell	77	Massachusetts	M	M	Stockbroker	John A. Caldwell Mary E. Hollebrook
Sept.	7	Hanover, N.H.	Edwin A. Barselle	81	Massachusetts	M	M	Machinist-Ret.	Andrew Barselle Caroline Jacobson
Sept.	8	New London	Sidney Storey	76	Massachusetts	M	M	Unknown	Charles Storey Carrie Baker
Sept.	11	Nashua	Thomas P. Crockett	31	New Hampshire	M	S	Sales Rep.	David R. Crockett Dorothy J. Jasper
Sept.	12	New London	Lorna S. Couch	80	New Hampshire	F	M	Ret. Custodian	Herbert Spaulding Kate Farley
Sept.	12	New London	Francis P. Hennessey	56	Massachusetts	M	M	Ret. Civil Serv.	Francis X. Hennessey Helen Healey
Sept.	21	New London	Donald A. Lyman	51	New Hampshire	M	D	Bus Driver	Howard Weeks Edna Lyman
Sept.	24	New London	Elizabeth B. Dickson	80	Connecticut	F	W	Housewife	Edgar W. Bassick, Sr. Grace Morris
Sept.	29	New London	Richard M. Salamone	75	New Jersey	M	W	Fire Chief	Michael Salamone Lillian Lucretia
Oct.	4	Claremont	Esther P. Quimby	77	New Hampshire	F	W	Cardroom	John M. Walker Dora M. Prescott
Oct.	17	New London	Ernest F. Terreault	68	New Hampshire	M	S	Laborer	Henry Terreault Delphanie Decato
Oct.	17	New London	Willis V. Ames	82	Massachusetts	M	M	Sales Rep.	Edward Ames Minnie Hixon
Oct.	24	New London	Catherine A. Millican	27	New Hampshire	F	M	Advertising	Guy E. Alexander Elizabeth Chandler
Oct.	24	New London	Paul V. Barker Sr.	88	Ohio	M	M	Sales Mgr.	John Barker Alice Bixler
Oct.	26	New London	Charles C. Smith	89	New York	M	M	Retired	George S. Smith Madeline Kolb

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age	Birthplace	Sex	Mar.. Wid. Sing.	Occupation	Name of Father and Maiden Name of Mother
Nov. 2	New London	Robert C. Pugh	61	Illinois	M	M	Ret. Hist. Prof.	Robert I. Pugh Elizabeth Coplin
Nov. 8	New Haven, Ct.	Deborah Bristol	21	Washington, D.C.	F	S	Student	Craig Bristol Emily Dixon
Nov. 11	New London	Helen L. McBride	94	Maine	F	W	Housewife	George O. Packard Ada Florer
Nov. 18	New London	Vincent F. Monteleone	47	New York	M	M	Ret. Fire Dept.	Luciano Monteleone Josephine D'Asio
Dec. 1	New London	Marilyn H. Welch	47	New Hampshire	F	W	Housewife/Sec.	Walter Holmes Violette Dodge
Dec. 3	New London	Lucy E. Stone	74	New Hampshire	F	W	Ret. Housekeeper	Perley Dodge Azile LeMay
Dec. 3	New London	Lester S. Rowe	76	New Hampshire	M	M	Ret. Caretaker	Herbert H. Rowe Emma Blanchard
Dec. 3	New London	Wilfred S. Davis	69	Norway	M	M	Ret. Forester	Charles S. Davis Siegrid Christiensen
Dec. 3	Hanover	Robert C. Treadwell	73	Massachusetts	M	M	CPA	Robert H. Treadwell Bertha Chamberlin
Dec. 6	New London	Marshall S. Price	77	Massachusetts	M	M	Ret. Marketing Co-ord.	Frank S. Price Elisabeth Marshall
Dec. 10	New London	John H. Landsiedel	68	New York	M	M	Ret. Elec. Engineer	Henry C. Landsiedel Anna Hoffmeister
Dec. 10	New London	Joseph H. Stoney	79	Massachusetts	M	M	Ret. Mgr. Machine Co.	Unknown Stoney Frances Havner
Dec. 26	Laconia	Barbara B. Hoban	87	Vermont	F	W	Housewife	Clarence Bogle Sarah Thyng
Dec. 29	New London	Grover C. Hambrecht	87	Massachusetts	M	M	Ret. Sales Tech.	John H. Hambrecht Delia H. Hart

Marriages Registered in the Town of New London, N.H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1978

Date and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride and residence at time of marriage	Age	Place of Birth of Each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name, residence, official station of Person by whom married
	Frank A. Williams	62	N.H.	Frank Williams	R.I.	Francis B. Creamer, Jr.
Jan. 12, 1978	N.H.			Jennie Clifford	N.H.	New London
New London	Jeannie C. Rocheleau	42	Mass.	Marcel Goyette	Canada	Rector
	N.H.			Anita Gilmour	Canada	
	Kenneth L. Guyton	68	R.I.	Claude Guyton	R.I.	Robert W. Thurston
Jan. 12, 1978	N.H.			___ Leach	R.I.	New London
New London	Anita Petelinz	65	Maine	Albert Ouellette	Mass.	Minister
	N.H.			Eva Gauvin	Canada	
	William T. Johnstone III	39	Mass.	William Johnstone II	Mass.	David H. Kidder
Feb. 5, 1978	N.H.			Charlotte Gordon	Mass.	New London
New London	Elizabeth Ann Flanagan	34	Florida	William Flanagan	N.J.	Justice of the Peace
	N.H.			Edith Millar	N.J.	
	Francis C. Chandler	65	Conn.	Delbert Chandler	Vt.	Robert T. Goodwin
Feb. 14, 1978	N.H.			Rose Breen	Conn.	New London
New London	Marian C. Flynn	61	Conn.	Edward Bullen	Conn.	R.C. Priest
	Conn.			Ellen Lush	Conn.	
	Joseph C. Terenzi	37	N.Y.	Joseph Terenzi	Italy	Robert W. Thurston
May 6, 1978	N.H.			Assunta Annamarca	Italy	New London
New London	Carol Ann Anderson	39	Mass.	Carl Fisher	Mass.	Minister
	N.H.			Anne Kowalcyk	Mass.	

Date and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride and residence at time of marriage	Age	Place of Birth of Each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name, residence, official station of Person by whom married
May 27, 1978	Robert J. Murphy N.H.	21	N.Y.	Robert Murphy Carol Leith	N.Y. N.Y.	Robert T. Goodwin New London
New London	Katherine Anne Currie Mass.	19	Mass.	John Currie Katherine Dooley	Mass. Mass.	R.C. Priest
May 27, 1978	Michael W. C. Gross N.H.	21	N.H.	Paul Gross Barbara Rousseau	N.H. N.H.	Robert W. Thurston New London
New London	Rebecca L. Teach N.H.	19	N.Y.	Robert Teach Mary Scheu	N.Y. N.Y.	Minister
June 1, 1978	Kenneth A. Green N.H.	19	N.H.	Norman Green Gladys Moulton	N.H. N.H.	Bradford C. White New London
New London	Bonita S. Oday N.H.	22	N.H.	Richard A. Oday Alberta Putney	N.H. N.H.	Justice of the Peace
June 3, 1978	Francis C. Gallup N.H.	55	Conn.	Charles F. Gallup Ruth Barber	Conn. N.H.	William S. Geertz Newport
New London	Carolyn M. Wilkins N.H.	45	N.J.	William A. Miller Helen Anderson	N.J. Penn.	Minister
June 24,1978	Thomas A. Niles Va.	29	N.J.	Thomas Niles Eunice Breckenridge	Penn. N.J.	John H. Thomas Chesire, Conn.
New London	Roxanne H. Beardsley Mass.	27	Conn.	John H. Beardsley Eleanor Larkin	Conn. Conn.	Minister

	Cyrus Todd	38	N.Y.	William T. Todd	N.Y.	Rev. Harold B. Sedgwick
July 8, 1978	Mass.			Grace Brousseau	N.Y.	Lincoln, Mass.
New London	Nancy E. Gordon	33	N.H.	Frank H. Gordon	N.Y.	Clergyman
	Mass.			Dorothy Birmingham	N.J.	
	Louis M. Winer	58	Conn.	Herman L. Winer	Hungary	A. Sidney Lovett
July 11, 1978	Conn.			Hajnalka Langer	Hungary	New Haven, Conn.
New London	Shirley R. Smith	43	Ill.	Henry Ricketts	Germany	Clergyman
	Conn.			Mandeline Franks		
	A. Eugene Sands	46	Ohio	Arthur Sands	Ohio	Rev. Roger P. Cleveland
July 22, 1978	N.H.			Elsie Pratley	Ohio	New Hampton, N.H.
Ellsworth	Joanne S. Knapton	47	N.Y.	Herbert Meyers	N.Y.	Clergyman
	N.H.			Ethel Steele	N.Y.	
	David B. Wenmark	22	N.H.	Stanley E. Wenmark	Mass.	Francis B. Creamer, Jr.
August 4, 1978	N.H.			Patricia Beach	N.H.	New London
New London	Linda L. Arries	23	N.H.	Leslie Arries	Ill.	Rector
	N.H.			Elizabeth Logan	Penn.	
	Bruce E. Leone	24	N.H.	Richard C. Leone	N.H.	Bradford C. White
August 5, 1978	N.H.			Elaine M. Rollins	N.H.	New London
New London	Tina M. Stocker	21	N.H.	Richard J. Morse	Vt.	Justice of the Peace
	N.H.			Lynda Wiggins	N.H.	
	Richard U. Cross	25	Mass.	Courtland J. Cross	Mass.	Francis B. Creamer, Jr.
August 19, 1978	N.H.			Marjorie Bethell	N.J.	New London
New London	Deborah A. Drake	22	Mass.	Thomas J. Drake	N.Y.	Rector
	N.H.			Priscilla Randall	Mass.	

Date and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride and residence at time of marriage	Age	Place of Birth of Each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name, residence, official station of Person by whom married
August 19, 1978	George A. Edmunds N.H.	44	N.H.	Edwin F. Edmunds Sr. Gladys E. Lyon	N.H. Mass.	David C. Strosahl Hudson, N.H.
Nashua	Lorraine F. Lebel N.H.	33	Mass.	Lawrence A. Landers Corinne J. Wood	Mass. Mass.	Pastor
August 26, 1978	Leonard H. Dowse, Jr. Mass.	31	Mass.	Leonard H. Dowse, Sr. Amy Ranney	Mass. Mass.	Robert W. Thurston New London
New London	Sara B. Brown N.H.	35	N.H.	James B. Brown Dorothy Lindenmeyr	Vt. N.Y.	Minister
August 27, 1978	Donald G. Whitcher N.H.	40	N.H.	Horace A. Whitcher Evelyn Marshall	N.H. N.H.	Francis B. Creamer, Jr. New London
New London	Lisa R. Jameson N.H.	21	N.H.	Harold R. Jameson Violet Shontell	N.H. N.H.	Rector
Sept. 5, 1978	Joseph E. Messer N.H.	31	N.H.	James W. Messer Dorothy Wells	N.H. N.H.	Raymond K. Perkins Concord
New London	Teresa F. Chadwick N.H.	29	N.H.	Franklin S. Farnum Jr. Shirley Nelson	N.H. N.H.	Justice of the Peace
Sept. 16, 1978	Bernard R. Holley N.H.	39	Vt.	Arthur Holley Shirley Longe	Vt. Vt.	Jimmy E. Doop Litchfield, Me.
New London	Maragret B. Browder N.H.	36	Mass.	J. Tabor Browder Margaret Merriam	Ala. Mass.	Minister

	Everett D. Okma	26	N.J.	David Okma	N.J.	Robert W. Thurston
Sept. 23, 1978	N.J.			Lena Venderwhekka	Holland	New London
New London	Faye V. Millar	22	N.J.	David Millar	N.J.	Minister
	N.J.			Vivian Matt	N.J.	
	Michael A. Brink	29	Pa.	Edward Brink	Pa.	Jack W. Jensen
Sept. 30, 1978	Vt.			Anne Stemmerman	N.Y.	Wilmot
New London	Nancy J. Ross	22	N.H.	Donald Ross	Mass.	Clergyman,
	N.H.			Jean Cummings	N.Y.	
	Albert A. Holland	38	Canada	George Holland	Canada	Jack W. Jensen
Oct. 14, 1978	N.H.			Cecilia Stevens	Canada	Wilmot
New London	Marcia A. Brookins	35	Calif.	Alfred Brookins	Calif.	Clergyman
	N.H.			Dorothy Cavaness	Idaho	
	Sidney C. Clark	24	N.H.	Arthur Clark	N.H.	Stephen E. Borofsky
Oct. 14, 1978	N.H.			Alma Townsend	N.H.	Manchester
New London	Karen G. Dyke	26	N.H.	John Dyke	N.H.	Justice of the Peace
	N.H.			Rose Zerra	Mass.	
	George F. Rice	69	N.H.	John H. Rice	N.H.	Richard J. Link
Oct. 30, 1978	N.H.			Janes Cameron	Canada	Manchester
Manchester	Muriel S. Ungar	65	N.H.	Frederick Scribner	N.H.	Minister
	N.H.			Carmen Stilphen	N.H.	
	David C. Seybold	31	Penn.	Thomas E. Seybold		Robert W. Thurston
Dec. 2, 1978	N.H.			Virginia Gove	Mass.	New London
New London	Lauranne J. Lauridsen	30	N.H.	Laurids Lauridsen Jr.	Conn.	Minister
	N.H.			Adrianne Gray	Mass.	

Date and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride and residence at time of marriage	Age	Place of Birth of Each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name, residence, official station of Person by whom married
Dec. 30, 1978 New London	George L. Hunnicutt, Jr. N.C. Holly A. Hendrick N.C.	25 22	N.C. Mass.	George L. Hunnicutt Barbara E. Brown Roe P. Hendrick Barbara Travis	N.C. Ga. R.I. Penn.	Robert W. Thurston New London Minister
Dec. 31, 1978 New London	Hyde W. Ballard Penn. Janet H. McGowin N.H.	69 67	Ohio N.Y.	Thomas P. Ballard Frances Keay Charles Hayes, Jr. Johanna T. Ulmer	Ohio Mass. R.I. Conn.	Robert W. Thurston New London Minister

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

New London, N.H.

— Town Warrant —

To the inhabitants of the Town of New London in the county of Merrimack, in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affiars:

(L.S.)

You are hereby notified to meet at the Kearsarge Middle School Auditorium in said New London on Tuesday, the thirteenth day of March, next at 12:00 o'clock noon to act upon the following subjects:

Art. 1.A To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

B. To vote by ballot on amendments to the New London Zoning Ordiance and Zoning Map.

NOTE — By law, the meeting must open before voting starts. Therefore, the Meeting and Polls will open at 12:00 noon for the consideration of Article #1, Parts A and B.

At 12:30 the Meeting will recess but the Polls will remain open until 8:00 p.m. The Town Meeting will reconvene at 7:00 p.m. to act upon Articles #2 through #45.

Art. 2. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the following sums for the ensuing year to defray Town charges:

	1978	1979
Town Officers Salaries	$ 18,250.00	$ 18,500.00
Town Officers Expenses	19,100.00	24,000.00
Election and Registration	3,000.00	750.00
District Court Expenses	18,900.00	26,035.00
Town Hall & Other Town Bldgs.	20,000.00	18,500.00
Social Security & Retirement Town Share	23,000.00	26,500.00
Town Insurance	32,500.00	37,700.00
Planning Board	1,350.00	1,350.00
Zoning Board	200.00	200.00
Damages & Legal Expenses	75,000.00	15,000.00
Vital Statistics	250.00	250.00
Town Dump Maintenance	27,875.00	[illegible].00
Street Lighting	10,500.00	10,500.00
Highway General Expense	7,620.00	6,740.00

Old Age Assistance	1,500.00	1,500.00
Aid to Permanently and Totally Disabled	4,000.00	4,000.00
Community Action Program	1,129.95	1,186.45
Visiting Nurse Association	3,412.50	4,025.00
Parks & Beaches	7,725.00	8,695.00
Memorial Day Expenses	250.00	250.00
Town History & Archives Comm.	6,000.00	4,000.00
TOTAL	$ 281,562.45	$ 249,181.45

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the following sums for the ensuing year for the following purposes:

Art. 3. Police Department	75,238.00	79,124.00
Art. 4. Dispatch Dept.	33,357.00	35,900.00
Art. 5. Fire Dept.	22,150.00	22,275.00
Art. 6. Care of Trees	3,500.00	3,500.00
Art. 7. Civil Defense	1,800.00	3,650.00
Art. 8. New London Hospital association	12,500.00	14,250.00
Art. 9. New London Health Dept.	2,600.00	2,200.00
Art. 10. Town Ambulance Service	12,965.00	15,965.00
Art. 11. Highway Department Road Maintenance	139,900.00	146,975.00
Art. 12. Highway Department Road Imp. & Const.	15,000.00	15,000.00
Art. 14. Highway Department Town Share T.R.A. (State Share $ 7,459.38)	984.24	1,118.91
Art. 14. Interest on Temp. Loans	11,500.00	14,000.00
Art. 15. Chamber of Commerce Information Booth	1,050.00	1,050.00
Art. 16. Tracy Memorial Library	23,000.00	24,650.00
Art. 17. Cemetery Commission	6,500.00	8,000.00
Art. 18. New London Conserv. Commission	3,000.00	4,000.00
Art. 19. Sewer Maintenance (Sewer Rev. $51,530.00)	49,975.00	51,530.00

Art. 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate $4,000 for maintenance and up-dating of the Tax Map.

Art. 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate $4,000 for "revaluation pickup work on assessments".

Art. 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate $2,000 for computer service.

Art. 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate $5,630 for the purchase of a new police cruiser for the Police Department.

Art. 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate $27,000 for the purchase of a new diesel truck for the Highway Department.

Art. 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate $5,200 for the purchase of a plow for the Highway Department.

Art. 26. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate $3,200 for the purchase of an emergency generator.

Art. 27. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to spend Highway Subsidy Funds in the amount of $17,265.54 for the improvement of Class IV and V highways (RSA 241:14).

Art. 28. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to spend Highway Subsidy Funds in the amount of $11,194.23 for the construction or reconstruction of Class IV and V highways (RSA 241:15).

Art. 29. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate $5,000 for professional services to make a traffic and parking study. (Not recommended by the Budget Committee.)

Art. 30. To see if the Town will vote to accept the Catholic Cemetery located in Elkins to be part of the public cemetery in Elkins.

Art. 31. To see if the Town will allow the Road Agent to use salt on town roads (intersections) at his discretion.

Art. 32. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to appoint a Town Hall Committee.

Art. 33. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of $50,000, for the purpose of constructing sewerage and

sewage treatment facilities which are requirements contained in the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended (33 U.S.C. §1251 et seq.) and will qualify the Town for federal funds, such sum to be raised by the issuance of Serial Bonds and Notes not to exceed $12,500 under and in compliance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (NH R.S.A. 33.1 et seq., as amended) and to authorize the Selectmen to issue and negotiate such bonds or notes and to determine the rate of interest theron, and to take such other actions as may be necessary to effect the issuance, negotiation, sale and delivery of such bonds or notes as shall be in the best interests of the Town of New London, and to allow the Sewer Commission to expend such monies as become available from the Federal Government under the Finance Assistance Program of the Construction Grants section of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended (33 U.S.C. §1251 et seq.) and pass any vote relating thereto.

Art. 34. To see if the Town will vote to provide workers' compensation coverage for eligible employees by participating in the New Hampshire Municipal Association Self-Funded Workers' compensation Program commencing April 1, 1979, and to authorize the Selectmen to take such action in furtherance of this vote as may be necessary.

Art. 35. To see if the Town will vote to have the minutes of this regular Town Meeting published in the 1979 Town Report. (By Petition)

Art. 36. To see if the voters of the Town of New London will agree to authorize the Selectmen to negotiate with the Kearsarge Regional School District for a parcel of land immediately adjacent to and behind the New London Fire House. Such parcel is approximately 175 feet wide, the width of the existing lot, and 100 feet deep. Such land would be held by the town for future development. (By Petition)

Art. 37. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Highway Department to wing back snow on the road and parking lot at the New London Outing Club from time to time. (By Petition)

Art. 38. To see if the Town will vote to establish an Historic District Commission consisting of five (5) members in accordance with the provisions of New Hampshire RSA 31:89-C.

The Commission shall be appointed by the Board of Selectmen as provided in New Hampshire RSA 31:89-d. (By Petition)

Art. 39. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the Town Manager Plan as provided in Chapter 37 of the Revised Statutes Annotated. (By Petition)

Art. 40. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following town ordinance:

"Compact Part of Town

For the purposes of New Hampshire RSA 644:13 the compact part of the Town of New London shall be that part of the Town zoned other than Conservation District (CON.) or Agricultural and Rural Residential (ARR.)." (By Petition)

Art. 41. To see if the Town will vote to authorize withdrawal from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act for use as a setoff against the following debt service:

Purpose	**Amount**
1968 Sewer Plant Improvement Note	$ 5,000.00
1973 Sewer Construction Bond	20,000.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	3,600.00
	$ 28,600.00

Art. 42. To see if the Town will vote to have the nine (9) members-at-large of the Budget Committee appointed as provided in RSA 32:2.

Art. 43. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following ordinance:

Whenever the Town shall require an amended building permit, the charge for such a permit shall be $25.00.

Art. 44. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to negotiate with the State Highway Department for the installation of traffic light controls at the corner of Main and Pleasant Street should traffic conditions so warrant.

Art. 45. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes if deemed necessary by the Selectmen.

Given under our hands and seal this nineteenth day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and seventy-nine.

ALF E. JACOBSON
HARRY B. HARRIS, JR.
ROBER G. MacMICHAEL
Selectmen of New London, N.H.

A true copy of Warrant - Attest:

ALF E. JACOBSON
HARRY B. HARRIS, JR.
ROBERT G. MacMICHAEL
Selectmen of New London, N.H.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF NEW LONDON

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the ensuing year January 1, 1979 to December 31, 1979
Compared with Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures of the Previous Year
January 1, 1978 to December 31, 1978

SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Est. Revenue Previous Year 1978	Act. Revenue Previous Year 1978	Est. Revenue Ensuing Year 1979
From Local Taxes:			
Resident Taxes	14,000.00	12,790.00	14,000.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	150.00	152.50	150.00
Yield Taxes	500.00	1,342.46	500.00
From State:			
Meals and Rooms Tax	15,000.00	14,817.93	13,000.00
Interest and Dividends Tax	175,000.00	137,550.45	135,000.00
Savings Bank Tax	14,000.00	15,556.57	15,500.00
Highway Subsidy	27,296.16	26,997.88	28,459.77
Town Road Aid	6,561.59	5,614.08	7,459.38
Reimb. a/c Road Toll Refund	4,000.00	3,133.72	3,000.00
Reimb. a/c Business Profits Tax (Town Portion)	2,610.00	2,610.00	2,610.00
Special Grants - Highway Safety Agency			1 250 00
From Local Sources Except Taxes:			
Motor Vehicle Permits Fees	60,000.00	74,213.50	72,000.00
Dog Licenses	1,000.00	1,309.30	1,000.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	250.00	415.00	300.00
Fines & Forfeits - District Court	25,000.00	33,739.53	30,000.00
Rent of Town Property	1,800.00	2,050.00	2,400.00

Interest Received on Deposits	9,000.00	7,829.29	7,500.00
Income From Trust Funds	1,500.00	1,730.40	1,500.00
Income From Departments	5,000.00	4,272.86	4,000.00
Income From Sewer Commission	28,019.38	28,019.34	27,186.07
Sale of Town Property	2,500.00	6,048.84	2,000.00
Miscellaneous Income	200.00	61.65	100.00
Sewer Revenue	49,975.00		51,530.00
Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:			
Proceeds of Bonds and Long Term Notes	1,399,450.00		37,500.00
Revenue Sharing Fund	32,650.00	32,650.00	28,600.00
Total Revenues From All Sources Except Property Taxes	1,875,462.13	412,905.30	486,545.22
Amount to be Raised by Property Taxes	352,779.40		375,463.91
TOTAL REVENUES	2,228,241.53		862,009.13

PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATION

	Approp. Previous Year 1978	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1978	Approp. Recommended By Budget Committee Year 1979
General Government:			
Town Officers Salaries	18,250.00	18,628.32	18,500.00
Town Officers Expenses	19,100.00	21,570.40	24,000.00
Election and Registration Expenses	3,000.00	1,685.64	750.00
District Court Expenses	18,900.00	18,846.17	26,035.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Buildings	20,000.00	20,882.31	18,500.00
Reappraisal of Property	3,000.00	4,456.26	4,000.00
Tax Map	3,000.00	4,587.50	4,000.00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police Department	75,238.00	78,456.53	79,124.00
Fire Department	22,150.00	22,146.68	22,275.00
Care of Trees	3,500.00	3,345.00	3,500.00
Planning Board	5,850.00	5,808.60	1,350.00
Zoning Board of Adjustment	200.00	129.91	200.00
Insurance	32,500.00	30,415.52	37,700.00
Civil Defense	1,800.00	1,606.39	3,650.00
Conservation Commission	2,000.00	3,000.00	4,000.00
Dispatch Service	33,357.00	33,981.11	35,900.00
Health Department:			
Health	2,600.00	2,100.00	2,200.00
New London Hospital	12,500.00	12,500.00	14,250.00
Ambulance Service	12,965.00	13,506.67	15,965.00

Visiting Nurse	3,412.50	3,412.50	4,025.00
Vital Statistics	250.00	164.75	250.00
Town Dumps	27,875.00	34,639.48	39,500.00
Sewer Maintenance	49,975.00	47,599.16	51,530.00
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Road Aid	984.24	984.24	1,118.91
Town Maintenance - Regular	139,900.00	140,071.55	146,975.00
Street Lighting	10,500.00	10,931.34	10,500.00
General Expenses of Highway Department	7,620.00	6,547.38	6,740.00
Special Roads	15,000.00	14,861.79	15,000.00
Highway Subsidy	27,296.16	26,997.88	28,459.77
Library:	23,000.00	23,000.00	24,650.00
Public Welfare:			
Old Age Assistance Including Town Poor	1,500.00	589.63	1,500.00
Aid to Permanently and Totally Disabled	4,000.00	2,625.79	4,000.00
Community Action Program	1,129.95	1,129.95	1,186.45
Patriotic Purposes:			
Memorial Day	250.00	250.00	250.00
New London Bicentennial Committee	5,000.00	4,454.15	3,000.00
Town History and Archives Committee	1,000.00	594.40	1,000.00
Recreation:			
Parks and Beaches	7,725.00	8,950.27	8,695.00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Hydrant Service	2,525.00	2,475.00	————
Cemeteries	6,500.00	6,500.00	8,000.00
Unclassified:			
Damages and Legal Expenses	75,000.00	61,673.05	15,000.00
Chamber of Commerce - Information Booth	1,050.00	1,050.00	1,050.00
Employees Retirement and Social Security	23,000.00	22,193.13	26,500.00
Contingency Fund	10,194.00	————	————

Debt Service:			
Principal - Long Term Notes & Bonds	34,142.00	34,142.00	25,000.00
Interest - Long Term Notes & Bonds	16,740.68	16,740.68	15,150.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	— — — —	— — — —	14,000.00
Capital Outlay:			
New Equipment - Highway	23,400.00	24,490.50	32,200.00
New Equipment - Other	5,650.00	6,185.34	8,830.00
New Equipment - Fire Department	48,000.00	47,000.00	— — — —
Sewer Construction	1,399,450.00	— — — —	50,000.00
Computer Service	— — — —	— — — —	2,000.00
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	2,267,979.53	847,906.97	862,009.13
Not Recommended:			
Planning Board - Traffic & Parking Study			5,000.00

David H. Kidder, *Chairman;* William T. Andrews, Kathleen F. Bianchi, George D. Buckner, Francis C. Chandler, Heidi K. Lauridsen, Richard E. Mann, Jr., Lois S. Shaw, Gerald C. Sprague, Alf E. Jacobson, *Selectmen Member.*

New London Centennial

A Gala Day on the Hill.

The morning of the 25th gave an early promise of a warm and pleasant day, and right well did it fulfill its promise.

From every point of the compass teams came pouring in upon the hill, single teams bearing little families, old couples and young couples, double teams with all the relatives and friends on board, huge wains loaded with a whole school district. The surrounding towns seemed to show as much interest as though it was their own celebration and certainly New London has reason to be justly proud of the estimation and respect of her neighbors.

Very close upon the hour appointed the line of march was formed resting its right near the "four corners."

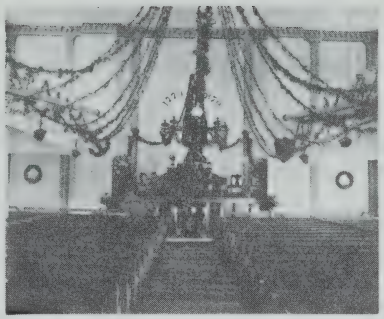
Gen. Joseph N. Clough was Chief Marshall, and a better one could hardly be found. Used to martial life, he seems in his very element when mounted on a fiery steed and leading off a martial column. Maj. A. C. Burpee was his leading aid. Following Gen. Clough came the Franklin Cornet Band, then the Messer Rifles, and Sabbath Schools.

The next division was led by J. H. Burpee accompanied by aids A. J. Cheney, Bram Buckford and J. F. Tilton.

In this division was the G. A. R. followed by citizens and invited guests. The procession countermarched the streets and then repaired to the church where the following excercises were held.

The Franklin Cornet Band opened with a fine and well rendered selection, not trying, as is too often the case with village bands, to give quantity instead of quality.

Gen. McCutchins then called the large audience to order by a few well chosen remarks and then announced an anthem by the choir, entitled "Praise the Mighty God." Mrs. R. O. Messer's clear voice, which is always a part of New London music, gave the leading part. Mrs. Angie G. Everett, for years the music teacher at the Institution, made the organ a thing of life. Few players are capable of making an instrument breathe such harmony and sentiment at the same time. Next followed



PRAYER

by Dura Morgan, son of Deacon Morgan, and one of New London's graduates; now a settled pastor at Beverly, Mass.

Mr. Morgan then read the following hymn, composed for the occasion by Mrs. Colgate of New York, daughter of the late ex-Gov. Colby. This was sung by the choir to music composed by Mrs. Nahum T. Greenwood of New London:

CENTENNIAL HYMN JUNE 25, 1879

The rolling years, Oh God! are thine,
Thou holdst them in thy hand divine,
Thou dost their gifts Thy-self unfold,
And show us what their secrets hold.

We stand in awe to see unroll
A century's gifts, as but a scroll,
Written with progress yet to be,
Grander than human eye can see.

We look behind and mark the way,
Thou ledst our Fathers, in the day,
When young they sought this wooded soil,
To gain their homes by honest toil.

How soon the lonely hills were glad,
The desert glooms no more were sad!
Sweet blossoms shed their fragrance round
And labor rang a gladsome sound.

Thou God of love, their burdens bore,
On Thee they laid them, and no more
Their pressure felt—Take ours away,
And bless this glad centennial day.

Gen. McCutchins now gave an address of welcome. He said that the past century had seen the change of all things but the mountains and hills, the streams and lakes of the town. The sturdy forests had fallen beneath the Woodman's axe. Agriculture, the source of all wealth began the work upon these hills and wrought the changes which the day celebrates. He rejoiced to see so many of the present citizens and so many of the former citizens. He feelingly referred to the church-yard containing the dust of the fathers and in well chosen language welcomed them to the beautiful view, to the hospitable homes, to the church where a living gospel had ever been preached, and to the warm hearts of the people. He closed by introducing the speaker of the day, Hon. Judge Sargent of Concord, a member of one of the largest of New London's old families and a native of the town. Judge Sargent's address was an exhaustive, historical essay and took nearly two hours for its delivery.

HALFWAY THROUGH

Judge Sargent took a rest and Mrs. Rogers of Boston, daughter of the late Jos. Phillips of the firm of Phillips, Messer & Colby, the famous scythe manufacturers, sung a very sweet selection. She was warmly applauded and presented with a beautiful bouquet.

The address was listened to attentively throughout its delivery and at its close after a selection by the band the poem which we gave on the last page was read by the composer, Mrs. L. A. Blood daughter of Gen. McCutchins. She was very tastefully dressed and read in a clear, sweet voice. The effect was heightened by the attention of her father who was Master of Ceremonies. The two so like and yet so unlike made a picture of youthful womanhood and venerable manhood the audience will not soon forget.

The excercises at the church were closed by the choir's singing "Strike the Cymbals." The procession then re-formed and marched to the great tent where from fifteen hundred to two thousand people were generously fed. A fine collation was served at the town hall for the soldiers, band and others.

At four P. M. the people gathered at the church and listened to extemporaneous speeches by townsmen and old residents. We should not forget to mention the decoration of the church which reflected great credit on the ones in charge. About two thousand five hundred people were present and all seemed to enjoy the hospitality of the town and the fine excercises which were given. May another century witness still greater enterprise and advancement in Christian morals is the wish of

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New London Centennial!

The Centennial Anniversary of the Incorporation of the Town of New London, N. H., will be celebrated on

Wednesday, June 25th, 1879,

On which occasion an ADDRESS will be delivered by

JUDGE J. E. SARGENT,

Of Concord, and a POEM read by

MRS. DR. R. A. BLOOD,

Of Charlestown, Mass. Short speeches may be expected from former residents and natives of the town. An original HYMN, written for the occasion by

MRS. JAMES B. COLGATE,

Of New York city, will be sung, together with other appropriate music.

A procession will be formed, escorted by the Messèr Rifles and the Prescott Jones Post, G. A. R., at 9 o'clock A. M., which will proceed to the church, where the Address will be given.

Dinner will be served in a large tent, to which all are invited.

A cordial invitation is extended to all natives and former residents of the town, wherever they may reside, to join our citizens in the festivities of this occasion, and we ask for their hearty coöperation in making this celebration a worthy memorial of the town and its sturdy founders.

A cordial invitation is also extended to friends and neighbors from surrounding towns.

GEN. LUTHER McCUTCHINS,
JAMES E. SHEPARD,
N. T. GREENWOOD,
} *Committee of Arrangements.*

ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

Town Treasurer,

AND THE

Superintending School Committee,

OF THE

TOWN OF NEW LONDON,

FOR THE

FINANCIAL YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1879,

CONCORD, N. H.:
PRINTED BY WOODBURY & BATCHELDER.
1879.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

The Treasurer charges the town of New London, for the year 1878, as follows:

MINISTERIAL DEPARTMENT.

Paid—N. T. Greenwood,	Baptist Society,	$43 55
"	Otterville Society,	16 10
"	Scytheville Society,	19 75
		$79 40

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

Paid—B. C. Davis,	District No. 1,	$126 84
B. M. Stanley,	" 2,	151 48
O. K. Russell,	" 3,	398 38
J. E. H. Shepard,	" 4,	195 34
A. B. Whittier,	" 5,	215 44
A. R. Hunting,	" 6,	105 00
G. W. Sargent,	" 7,	96 02
		$1288 50

MISCELLANEOUS CHARGES.

Paid—Woodbury & Batchelder, printing town reports,	$24 00
Express on town reports,	40
Auditors' bill, March, 1878,	2 00
B. W. Sanborn & Co., invoice, collector, and highway surveyor books,	5 31
E. A. Dean, printing bills,	25

Paid—J. B. Worthen, damage by defective highway,	$3 00
Recording deed,	50
L. McCutchins, making out deed,	1 00
L. E. Wheeler, door and casings for town hall,	6 60
E. L. Wheeler, paint for town hall,	1 20
A. McNabb, putting in door and other repairs,	5 60
O. K. Russell & Son, nails, glass, &c.,	2 20
I. Moore & Son, door lock,	1 20
J. H. Burpee, for Prescott Jones Post, G. A. R.,	25 00
Morrill & Silsby, warrants,	25
B. W. Sanborn, check lists and warrants,	1 70
N. D. Pingree, land damage,	15 00
G. W. Craft, land damage,	90 00
G. W. Craft, for building new road,	187 00
J. Pressey, surveying town line between Newbury and New London,	1 25
B. Gay, public watering tub,	3 00
R. F. Sargent, public watering tub,	2 50
B. M. Stanley, damage to sheep by dogs,	2 00
Charles S. Whitney, "	1 75
Fred Fowler, "	2 50
Asa N. Todd, "	5 00
M. H. Haskins, "	6 75
Geo. Fisher, "	17 50
Dr. S. M. Whipple, record of births and deaths for the year 1876,	4 50
Dr. S. M. Whipple, record of births and deaths for the year 1877,	4 75
Dr. S. M. Whipple, record of births and deaths for the year 1878,	4 25
Dr. Elkins, record of births and deaths, 1878,	2 50
Frank O. Dow, digging graves and driving hearse,	14 25
Journey and expense to Concord to settle bills,	5 00
L. P. Gould, two journeys and expense to Newbury,	5 25
Cash for stationery, postage stamps, &c.,	5 89
Geo. Woodward, services as town clerk,	10 00

Paid—S. C. Fletcher, services as superintending school committee,	$31 65
William A. Messer, services as selectman,	36 00
Charles W. Gay, services as selectman,	38 75
Leonard P. Gould, services as selectman, treasurer, and overseer of poor,	97 00
Printing bills,	1 31
C. W. Gay, expense to Concord,	3 30
Henry R. Gates, services as collector in 1877,	39 00
	$717 86

Paid—County tax,	$1356 82
State tax,	1084 00
	$2440 82

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Paid—Levi Sanborn, repairing highway,	$ 45
O. K. Russell, "	1 50
B. W. Thomas, "	2 12
A. R. Hunting, "	2 00
T. H. Davis, "	3 25
J. H. Todd, "	5 26
E. A. Todd, "	11 25
B. M. Stanley, "	11 96
Sanford Fisher, labor planking bridges and putting up railing,	22 36
J. C. Adams, lumber and labor on bridges,	14 42
W. P. Kimball, plank and labor,	4 55
Davis & Blood, lumber for bridge,	27 85
Thomas Law, repairing highway in Dist. No. 2,	46 90
	$153 87

BBEAKING ROADS IN WINTER OF 1877-8.

Paid—H. H. Taylor, from N. L. to P. P., winter of 1876-7,	$29 52
A. E. Preston, Dist. No. 1,	8 00

Paid—T. Law, A. Hastings, H. R. Davis, R. L. Davis and Ai Worthen,	Dist. No.	2,	$23 41
F. P. Jewett,	"	3,	13 32
E. A. Todd,	"	4,	11 75
W. P. Kimball,	"	5,	13 45
B. M. Stanley,	"	6,	14 30
Fred D. Lull,	"	7,	10 18
Geo. W. Sargent,	"	8,	5 90
James Morgan,	"	9,	12 80
A. Morgan,	"	10,	1 80
Wm. A. Messer,	"	12,	5 50
L. P. Gould,	"	13,	3 15
H. B. Williams,	"	14,	10 00
J. W. Taylor,	"	15,	10 94
A. C. Burpee,	"	16,	14 68
F. W. Todd and J. H. Todd,	"	17,	19 58
E. A. Jones,	"	18,	2 00
Geo. P. Sholes,	"	19,	12 50
			$222 78

TRAMP BILLS IN 1877-78.

Paid—Seth Littlefield, lodging tramps,	$12 50
N. A. Parker, lodging tramps,	3 00
Joseph Russell, taking care of P. L. Otis, and carrying him to Hopkinton.	10 75
Mark Nelson, lodging tramps, 1878,	2 00
C. W. Gay, "	4 00
L. P. Gould, "	3 00
	$35 25

COUNTY PAUPER CHARGES.

Paid—Supplies furnished M. Ring,	$111 25
Supplies furnished A. Hunt for B. Saunders,	60 88
J. S. George, board of C. George,	52 00
O. K. Russell & Son, clothing for C. George,	7 84
Dr. S. M. Whipple, as per bill,	11 60
	$243 57

Paid — Seth Littlefield, care of Miss Bartlett, a town charge belonging to Croydon,	$28 00
Dr. S. M. Whipple, as per bill,	13 25
	$41 25
Paid — Town of Salisbury, supplies furnished for Willie M. Hayes,	$24 65

SCHOOL HOUSE TAX.

Paid — J. E. H. Shepard for district No. 4,	$70 00

TOWN BONDS AND INTEREST.

Paid — Eugene O'Neil,	town bond	No. 15,	$100 00
"	"	18,	100 00
Chas. Jewett,	"	31,	100 00
J. M. Jewett,	"	26,	500 00
Joseph Trussell,	"	4,	500 00
Mark Nelson,	"	20,	500 00
Mark Nelson,	"	22,	100 00
Cash paid coupons,			441 00
			$2341 00

ABATEMENT OF TAXES.

Paid — Frank E. Sargent, poll tax,	1877,	$1 20
Lewis Fisher, over taxed,	"	6 00
A. E. Preston, over taxed,	1878,	1 00
Asa Ray, abated,	"	1 00
Solon Cooper, over tax since	1872,	7 53
James M. Jewett, over tax,	1878,	13 84
Gage Woodward, abated,	"	2 82
Lewis Fisher, over tax,	"	2 82
James Morgan, poll tax,	"	1 41
Charles Bennett, poll tax,	"	1 41
Mitchell Britton, poll tax,	"	1 41
John Blake, abated,	"	3 13
Amos Hunt, abated,	"	2 30
Charles Knight, poll tax,	"	1 41
Frank Lull,	"	1 41
John Lescord,	"	1 41

Paid — S. Holt & Sons, abated tax, 1877,		$ 12 00
W. E. Pingree,	"	8 30
Amos Hunt,	"	3 16
J. J. Holbrook,	"	1 20
Jacob White,	"	3 00
		$77 76

RECEIPTS.

Received of—J. E. H. Shepard, note and interest,	$360 89
James Morgan, interest,	30 00
James Morgan, endorsed on note.	200 00
N. T. Greenwood, cash on collection bond of 1876,	103 80
Cash on tax book of 1876,	82 32
State Treasurer, savings bank tax,	543 34
" railroad tax,	124 41
" literary fund,	74 00
Merrimack County for support of paupers,	243 57
John French, interest,	33 54
Henry Gates, collector of 1877.	830 69
Job C. Cross, collector of 1878,	5358 00
Town of Croydon, pauper expense.	41 35
Eli Dodge, cash endorsed on Holt & Sons, note,	56 00
Cash on hand March 1, 1878.	388 16
	$8469 97
Town charges brought up,	$7736 70
Cash on hand March 1, 1879,	733 27
	$8469 97

INDEBTEDNESS OF THE TOWN.

Town bonds outstanding,	$5000 00
Ministerial fund,	1323 33
	$6323 33

Means of paying the same:

Cash in the hands of the treasurer,	$733 27
Due on Collector's bond, 1876,	73 40
Due on Collector's bond, 1877,	9 60
Due on Collector's bond, 1878,	447 33

NOTES.

S. C. Holt & Sons, balance due,	15 40
Charles Crosby,	52 50
Wm. M. & G. W. F. Hayes,	43 80
N. C. Todd, 2d,	59 00
A. R. Hunting and O. K. Russell,	69 56
Austin Goings and James M. Pike,	25 36
John French,	559 00
James Morgan,	318 00
	$2406 22

Indebtedness of the town March 1, 1879, $3917 11

We certify that we have examined the books and accounts of the town treasurer, and find them correctly cast and well vouched.

N. T. GREENWOOD,
G. M. KNIGHT, } *Auditors.*

All of which is respectfully submitted,

LEONARD P. GOULD,
Treasurer of New London.

SCHOOL REPORT FOR 1878-9.

NEW LONDON, N. H.

STEPHEN C. FLETCHER, Supervisor.

PRUDENTIAL COMMITTEE.

District No. 1—B. R. Davis.
District No. 2—B. Stanley.
District No. 3—O. K. Russell.
District No. 4—J. E. H. Shepard.
District No. 5—A. B. Whittier.
District No. 6—A. R. Hunting.
District No. 7—Geo. W. Sargent.

TEACHERS.

District No. 1—Cora Manahan, Edwin T. Hastings.
District No. 2—Luette Knowlton, H. A. Baker, S. W. Ferguson.
District No. 3—Mattie J. Bickford, F. Parker Smith.
District No. 4—F. Parker Smith, Abby M. Todd.
District No. 5—Sarah J. Baker.
District No. 6—Alma G. Paine, Augusta Colby.
District No. 7—B. Josie Baker, Addie F. Robbins.

No. of pupils enrolled, 204; twice enrolled, 5; from other towns, 4; whole number of different pupils, boys 102, girls 93.

The following scholars are reported as having attended one or two terms without being absent or tardy. If any mistakes are found it is owing to defects in reports:

Henry Kidder, 2.
Hamilton M. Whittier,
Delia M. Goings,
Andrew Kidder, 2.
Ralph W. Preston,
Lucy N. Shepard, 2,
Hermie S. Adams, 2,
Frank M. Stanley,

Ella M. Hunting.
Olla E. Goings,
Earl Collins,
Bert E. Hunting, 2,
Hattie W. Goings,
Ervin Messer, 2,
George A. French, 2,
Lottie M. Manahan.
Carl Russell,
Ada J. French,
George M. Goings,
Earnest Williams,
Jennie A. Smith,
Alberta M. Knowlton,
Susie Burpee,
Clara B. Messer, 2,
Charles A. Goings,
Edgar F. Sargent, 2,
Cora E. Bunker,
Fred A. Law, 2,
George G. Morgan, 2,
Flossie G. Sargent,
Mary S. Stanley,
Frank S. Shepard,
Myrtie K. Messer, 2,
Mary E. Knowlton, 2,
John W. Morey,
Bennie F. Sargent,
Alice E. Messer, 2,
Elmer E. Gould,
Georgie Hayes,
Elmer M. Messer, 2,
Alice S. M. Smith,
Everett H. Messer.

Lucy A. Morgan, 2,
Everts W. Messer, 2,
Willie E. Johnson, 2,
Mary E. Shepard, 2,
Elmer E. Adams,
Addie E. Jewett,
Nellie M. Morey,
Willie J. Sargent,
Willie M. Knowlton,
Charles G. Adams,
Ransom C. Pingree,
R. Ellsworth Farwell,
Harry P. Craft,
Chester Morgan,
Herbert J. McFarland,
Eliza Burpee, 2,
Herbert E. Parker, 2,
Minnie Clough, 2,
Clinton E. Parker, 2,
Lottie Ellis,
Addella M. Dickey,
Bertha Ross, 3,
Lucy A. Jones, 2,
Mattie Kidder, 2,
Ethel M. Johnson, 2,
Carrie Currier,
Nettie M. Whittier, 2,
Fannie Russell,
George E. Richards,
Robbie Ross,
Fred H. Richards,
Sidney Smith, 2,
Walter L. Whitney.

At the close of another year, I have the honor to submit a a report of the way in which the school fund has been expended, together with a statement of the condition of the schools.

The amount of money appropriated at the last town meeting was $1288.00; added to this was about $150.00, board and wood given in several districts—amounting to $1438.00.

Very much to the surprise of your committee, the practice continued for so many years, of appropriating a portion of the school fund equally among the several districts—the rest *pro rata*—was abandoned, and the whole sum was distributed *pro rata*. The result was that the smaller districts had less money this year than last, while the larger had very much more. Thus those that needed the increase were injured by the change, and those who did not need it were not helped, although a much larger sum was placed at their disposal. My conviction is, that greater good is accomplished by the former amount distributed as in years past, than the larger amount as distributed now. My recommendation is that the present amount be appropriated, and that three-hundred and fifty dollars, at least, be equally distributed, the rest *pro rata*.

All the teachers employed have labored faithfully, honestly, and diligently for the advancement of the schools, and the work done has been of a higher order than the average of past years. Too many of them, however, have no special love for their work, only as a means of gaining money or simply as a stepping-stone to something better. Hence they do not study, do not read educational works, are not growing themselves, and cannot lead and inspire as those who can bring things new as well as old, into their every day teaching. It is a reproachful fact to the teachers and the town that none have attended the Normal School, and few, even Teacher's Institutes. Prudential committees do not fully realize that the success or failure of the school depends largely on their wisdom in selecting teachers; first-class teachers cannot be obtained for third-rate pay.

Some other circumstances have prevented the greatest usefulness of our schools. There has been a lack of harmony in some districts. Unfortunately, personal or sectional variance influences our schools more than it ought, and it is only by the utmost harmony that the greatest good is accomplished. Also, a lack of perfect understanding between parents and teachers. It

is not right, or well, for parents to circulate reports to a teacher's injury, unless they first let the teacher know, by personal information, or through prudential or supervising committee, the faults charged. Again, with very rare exceptions, it is unwise to employ teachers who have recently been pupils in the district where they teach. It is harder for the teacher, and if there be any jealous, evil disposed person in the district, trouble will surely be made, much mischief done, and the usefulness of the school greatly injured.

During the year we have completed the introduction of Harper's geographies, and for three years, at least, it is hoped the same will prove satisfactory to teachers, parents, and pupils. A change in readers is very much to be desired, and Franklin's readers are recommended, both on account of intrinsic merit, and the fact that several of the adjoining towns have already adopted this series.

There is great need of maps, dictionaries, and illustrative apparatus. At the last session of the Legislature, an act was passed authorizing the school officers to purchase a map of New Hampshire. We have been urged by the publishers to do so, but have not deemed it best to purchase, as there are other things much more imperatively demanded. The excellent maps in the special geographies of New England, obviate largely this need. A petition will be circulated asking the next Legislature to authorize the expenditure of the literary fund for the purchase of maps, books and apparatus. If this is granted and wisely expended, it will be of very great advantage to the schools.

District No. 1.

Summer term was taught by Miss Cora Manahan. It was the teacher's first term, and although the school was very small was excellent. One class of small scholars made the greatest advancement I have ever seen made by any class in so short a time.

Winter term taught by E. F. Hastings. He did as good work as could be expected with such a variety of pupils. Six or seven different districts and towns came together to form this school.

District No. 2.

Miss Knowlton taught the summer and fall terms, and proved an exception to the general rule, that a teacher is not successful at home, and in this school fully maintained her excellent reputation as a teacher.

Winter term, H. Alonzo Baker taught. The examination of this teacher, his success in teaching in other towns, and the appearance of the school when visited at the commencement, promised very great usefulness. The teacher's understanding was perfect, his manner of imparting good. At the end of eight weeks, a division arose about a vacation and the length of the term, and Mr. Baker finding that some were dissatisfied with his management of the school, chose to leave rather than remain to the close of the term. After a vacation of two weeks, Mr. S. W. Ferguson took the school, but as it is still in session no report can at this time be made.

District No. 3.

Miss Bickford taught the summer and fall terms, and, though laboring against some unfavorable circumstances, had a good school and her final examinations were the most satisfactory I have ever witnessed in the district.

Winter term. Parker Smith is teaching at the time of submitting my report, with his usual diligence and success.

District No. 4.

Mr. Smith taught both the summer and fall terms, to the great advancement of the pupils and satisfaction of the parents, and proved that man can succeed in doing woman's work.

Winter term, Miss Abby Todd, teacher. With larger scholars and a larger school, Miss Todd showed as conclusively that in the school room a woman can do a man's work and deserves equal pay. It has been a profitable year for Low Plain.

District No. 5.

Both terms were taught by Mrs. Sarah J. Baker. Her long experience in teaching, her patience and perseverance fit her admirably for this school. It is a hard school on which to make a distinctive mark. It is saying all that need be said, she did the best she could, and no one could do better.

District No. 6.

Summer term taught by Miss Alma Paine, a graduate of the Boston High School. This was her first term's work as teacher, and it was very successful. Her methods of teaching are excellent, and with this class of pupils she did all that could be done.

Fall term, Miss Augusta Colby, teacher. She has great excellencies, in devotion to the work, in system, in vivacity, keeping the scholars wide awake, doing a great deal and doing it well, and but for her lack of health, would be as nearly a perfect teacher as can be found for this grade of schools.

District No. 7.

Miss Josie Baker taught the summer term and fully maintained the rank of the school and her reputation as a teacher, and the pupils of this district have been greatly favored by receiving for so many terms the instruction of so excellent a teacher.

Winter term, taught by Miss Addie F. Robbins. The school did not suffer by the change of teachers, Miss Robbins being an equally diligent and faithful teacher. Her system was different, and by attention to the teaching of facts and imparting general information, added greatly to the usefulness and success of the school.

Bespeaking for my successor the same patience, courtesy, and helpfulness which you have shown me, with the hope that the schools are none the worse for my supervision, and that the coming year's work may be progressive, I leave in your hands the important work of this office.

STEPHEN C. FLETCHER.

REPORTS

OF THE

TOWN TREASURER,

AND THE

SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COMMITTEE,

OF THE

TOWN OF NEW LONDON, N. H.

FOR THE

FINANCIAL YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 25, 1880.

CONCORD, N. H.:
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1880.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

The Treasurer charges the town of New London for the year 1879, as follows:

MISCELLANEOUS BILLS.

Paid—L. P. Gould, stamps and express,	$1 00
Auditor's bill, March, 1879,	2 00
Amos Hunt,	1 57
Cash book,	1 25
Woodbury & Batchelder, Town Reports,	24 00
D. P. Goodhue, record two deaths,	50
Morrill & Silsby, bill of books,	8 55
Horace Morey, bounty on fox,	50
B. W. Thomas, shovelling snow,	1 27
J. P. Elkins, record 13 births and deaths,	3 25
B. W. Stanley, breaking roads,	33 13
J. C. Adams, breaking roads, Dist. 12,	21 93
R. F. Sargent, G. A. R., Decoration Day,	25 00
Geo. Hayes, bounty on hawk,	20
Horace Morey, bounty on fox,	50
Geo. Saunders, nursing Wm. Cheeney,	10 00
N. T. Greenwood, centennial expenses,	300 00
Belden Morgan, repairing road, Dist. 4,	7 60
E. L. Wheeler, guide boards,	10 25
Fellows & Co., clothing, Currier George,	10 55
John Dow, bounties on hawks and fox,	1 90
Dr. S. M. Whipple, births and deaths,	1 50
Job C. Cross, collecting taxes, 1878,	40 00
Geo. F. Peabody, way marks, Sunapee Lake,	2 00
E. A. Todd, breaking roads,	14 87

Paid—Geo. Craft, repairing Pingree Hill,	$5 50
E. A. Jones, cutting out snow drifts,	8 94
W. E. Holmes, digging grave for Currier George,	3 00
Jas. F. Hayes, bounties on hawks,	1 20
Joseph Trussell, over tax,	5 80
Asa N. Todd, school house tax, Dist. 4,	50 00
Robert L. Davis, repairing highway, Dist. 2,	5 50
Asa B. Pillsbury, sheep killed by dogs,	2 00
H. B. Williams, breaking roads, Dist. 14,	18 00
Nathaniel C. Knowlton, " Dist. 3,	11 05
Frank C. Davis, " Dist. 3,	37 58
Wyman Kimball, " Dist. 5,	9 73
Moses Messer, " Dist. 7,	26 51
Jacob Todd, breaking roads and cutting drifts, Dist. 17,	64 52
Moses Messer, bounty on hawk,	20
Seth Littlefield, land damage,	160 80
H. H. Longley, breaking roads, Dist. 11,	19 23
Geo. M. Knight, " Dist. 19,	12 80
Edmund Davis, " Dist. 1,	9 35
Sanford Fisher, " Dist. 15,	35 75
John Messer, " Dist. 1,	17 55
Baxter Gay, watering tub,	3 00
John B. Roby, bounty on hawk,	20
Job C. Cross, breaking roads, Dist. 9,	29 05
Newton Manahan, repairing road, Dist. 4,	2 00
L. P. Gould, breaking roads, Dist. 18,	25 77
" " " Dist. 13,	19 93
Moses Messer, " " Dist. 7,	3 75
Geo. H. Farnum, sheep killed by dogs,	2 00
Frank O. Dow, repairing hearse,	6 75
Arthur Morgan, breaking roads, Dist. 9,	15 05
Austin Morgan, cutting out road, Dist. 13,	6 85
" repairing road, Dist. 10,	1 87
" sheep damaged by dogs,	2 00
Jona. George, boarding Currier George,	15 00
S. M. Whipple, doctoring Currier George,	22 52

Paid—Albert S. Worthen, breaking roads, Dist. 2,	$17 97
B. G. Everett, damages received on highway,	162 50
Joseph Russell, overtax in 1878,	4 23
Jas. R. Smiley, doctoring Wm. Cheeney,	10 00
Chas. B. Gay, meat for Hunt family,	1 96
Jas. M. Pillsbury, digging grave for Ida Hunt,	2 00
Amos Hunt, milk sold Wm. Cheeney,	1 00
John P. Elkins, doctoring John Lescord,	4 50
" " " Ring family,	3 75
" " " Hunt family,	5 00
S. C. Fletcher, damage to sheep by dogs,	3 00
F. O. Dow, coffin for Ida Hunt,	10 25
F. O. Dow, coffin and robe for Currier George,	13 50
F. O. Dow, digging graves and driving hearse,	32 25
F. O. Dow, repairing hearse house,	7 00
A. C. Burpee, breaking roads, Dist. 16,	38 58
George Craft, " Dist. 8,	9 45
John K. Law, " Dist. 2,	16 57
Amos Hastings, " Dist. 2,	11 05
Hiram Sargent, repairing roads, Dist. 12,	1 60
" school house tax, Dist. 7,	20 00
Expense, commissioners, Littlefield road,	120 41
Henry D. Harvey, bounty on hawks,	40
Jas. H. Burpee, supplies, county paupers,	105 94
" " " "	82 46
A. R. Hunting, breaking roads, Dist. 9,	3 65
L. P. Gould, two journeys to Concord,	9 00
L. P. Gould, journey to Bradford, legal advice,	3 00
L. P. Gould, stationery and stamps,	6 41
L. P. Gould, 1 bush potatoes, John Lescord,	70
Micajah Morgan, setting guide posts,	2 50
Jona. S. George, boarding Currier George,	47 00
J. E. H. Shepard, breaking roads, Dist. 10,	32 45
" " repairing roads, Dist. 13,	6 00
Daniel E. Colby, journey to Concord, in Sept.	3 25
Geo. M. Knight, school books,	1 69

Paid—Coupons,	$297 00
Daniel E. Colby, stationery and stamps,	65
	$2282 85

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES.

Paid—County tax,	$1444 05
State tax,	1084 00
	$2528 05

MINISTERIAL FUND.

Paid—N. T. Greenwood, Baptist society,	$43 55
" Otterville society,	16 10
" Scytheville society,	19 75
	$79 40

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

Paid—Belden Morgan, Dist. No. 1,	$103 49
Nathaniel Messer, " 2,	124 04
Edwin P. Burpee, " 3,	294 73
Asa N. Todd, " 4,	162 16
Chas. S. Whitney, " 5,	161 94
Edwin Messer, " 6,	90 26
J. C. Adams, " 7,	81 88
	$1018 50

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid—Leonard P. Gould, Selectman,		$82 75
Charles W. Gay,	"	59 00
William A. Messer,	"	42 25
George Woodward, Town Clerk,		10 00
George M. Knight, Supt. School Committee,		30 00
Daniel E. Colby, Treasurer,		20 00
Daniel E. Colby, Supervisor,		3 00
Anthony C. Burpee,	"	1 00
Joseph M. Clough,	"	1 00
		$249 00

ABATEMENT OF TAXES.

Paid—R. Augustus Bunker, 1878,		$23 41
James Messer,	"	2 45
Samuel T. Hersom, 1879,		1 20
Loammi Hastings,	"	1 20
J. P. Kelley,	"	1 20
E. R. Perkins,	"	1 20
Asa Ray,	"	1 20
Bethiel W. Thomas,	"	1 20
Frank Peasley,	"	1 20
		$34 26

Amount paid out,	$6192 06
Cash in hands of Treasurer, Feb. 25, 1880,	741 15
	$6933 21

RECEIPTS.

By cash of—L. P. Gould, former treasurer,	$733 27
J. M. Pike, Going's note,	33 52
Jas. Morgan, interest to Jan. 1, 1879,	22 00
Morrill & Silsby, book returned,	2 50
State Treasurer, savings bank tax,	438 48
" railroad tax,	134 11
" literary fund,	72 15
James Morgan, on note,	40 00
County, pauper bill,	325 23
Wilmot, for Wm. Cheeney,	25 03
Collector's bond, 1876,	29 66
Collector's bond, 1877,	9 60
Collector's bond, 1878,	421 47
Collector's bond, 1879,	4611 93
Abatement of taxes,	34 26
	$6933 26

INDEBTEDNESS OF THE TOWN.

Outstanding bonds,	$5000 00
Ministerial fund,	1323 33
	$6323 33

Means of paying the same:

Cash in the hands of the treasurer,	$741 15
Due on Collector's bond, 1876,	43 74
Due on Collector's bond, 1879,	364 52

NOTES.

S. C. Holt & Sons, balance,	$15 40
Nathaniel C. Todd,	63 12
James Morgan,	278 50
John French,	592 54
	$2098 97
Indebtedness, February 25th, 1880,	$4224 36

We certify that we have examined the books and accounts of the Town Treasurer, and find them correctly cast and well vouched.

N. T. GREENWOOD, }
G. M. KNIGHT, } *Auditors.*

Which is respectfully submitted,

DANIEL E. COLBY,
Treasurer of New London, N. H.

SCHOOL REPORT.

The Superintendent of Schools respectfully submits the following report:

District No. 1.

Belden Morgan, prudential committee. The summer term was taught by Miss Luette S. Knowlton, of New London. Length of school ten weeks.

Winter term was commenced by Mr. C. S. Averill, of Massachusetts. His health failed after three weeks of labor, so he was compelled to leave the school. Mr. Anthony Jewett, of Springfield, finished the school, (whole length of school eleven and one half weeks.) Mr. Jewett gave general satisfaction. Although the school was interrupted, the scholars made a commendable degree of progress.

District No. 2.

Nathaniel Messer, committee. Teacher summer term, Miss Carrie H. Cooper, of Sutton. Length of school six weeks. Although the school was short, (too short for the teacher or scholars to do themselves justice.) Miss Cooper did good and efficent work in a quiet manner.

Both fall and winter terms were taught by Miss Luette S. Knowlton. Length of terms—fall nine weeks, winter fifteen weeks. Miss Knowlton, has taught eleven terms of school, ten of them in the town, four in her own district, which speaks well for her. She teaches well.

District No. 3.

Prudential committee, Edwin Burpee. The school year was divided into three terms, as follows: summer term, eight

weeks; fall, ten weeks; winter, ten weeks; taught by Miss Augusta M. Fellows, of Boscawen. It is Miss Fellow's first school. She entered into her work with enthusiasm, and maintained it to the close. She did the best she could. Her discipline was excellent. At the examination, some of the scholars showed excellent progress in their studies; others not as good as they might, or *ought*, with the labor that was done for them. No other school in town shows so large an absent and tardy record as this, which is one reason of no better success. A neglected school cannot be successful, any more than neglected business.

District No. 4.

Nelson A. Todd, committee. Summer term of ten weeks, was very successfully taught by Miss Sarah Nelson, of Sutton, who is a wide-awake teacher, and imparts enthusiasm to her scholars. It was a good school.

Mr. Parker T. Smith, of Springfield, had charge of the winter term, (twelve weeks.) Mr. Smith is an old teacher, loves his work, is clear in his explanations, has the faculty of teaching. With two such successful teachers, this school is second to none in town, and has but one equal, that is District No. 7.

District No. 5.

Charles Whitney, prudential committee. Miss Emma Wheeler, teacher, summer term; length of school, eight weeks. At my first visit, this school was very restless. Miss Wheeler, by her perseverance and patience, managed so that at the examination the school appeared *well*, and showed a commendable degree of improvement.

Miss Sarah Nelson, who taught the summer term in Dist. No. 4, had charge of the fall and winter terms. Length twenty weeks. At the examination, the school appeared well, and showed good progress, considering the ages of scholars. There is no other school in town that has so large per cent. of young children as this, and none that requires better teachers.

District No. 6.

Prudential committee, Edwin F. Messer. Teacher, Miss Augusta A. Colby, both summer and winter terms. Length of summer term, nine weeks. Winter term, eight weeks. Miss Colby is an experienced teacher, has taught this school several terms before, which speaks better for her than praise from me. The school appeared well and showed that both teacher and scholars did their work well.

District No. 7.

Summer term was taught by Miss Emma J. Davis. This was her first experience in teaching. She was thoroughly acquainted with the branches taught; was not confined to text books; had the faculty of imparting her ideas to others in a remarkable degree, which is necessary to succeed in teaching. Length of school ten weeks.

Winter term. Miss Addie F. Robbins, teacher. Miss Robbins has taught this school before. She had the confidence of parents and scholars, and deserved it. The school is second to none in town. Joseph C. Adams, prudential committee. Length of school eleven weeks.

GENERAL REMARKS.

There has been in the aggregate, one hundred and sixty-seven and one-half weeks of school the past year, at an expense in teachers' wages of $879. There have been employed nine different teachers who have given general satisfaction. There is one fault common to most of the teachers, which, if corrected, would aid materially in their usefulness. They are confined too closely to the text books. Instead of considering them the foundation on which to build, they treat them as the structure, or in other words, they teach just what is taught in the books, and no more. Most children can learn how to analyze a hard sentence or solve a difficult problem, or pronounce hard and long words, but if they do not know why a

sentence is thus analyzed or a problem thus solved, or the meaning of what they read, it does them but little good and is soon forgotten; but give them the reason of a thing and see they understand it, they acquire knowledge that is practical and will be retained. Then, instead of spending a portion of their time each term in learning what they have forgotten during the vacation, they might commence the term at least where they left off the preceding term, and thus make constant improvement.

In accordance with the recommendation of the former superintendent, after making an examination, I made a change in reading books, substituting the Franklin series for the old, which I trust will be an improvement.

Respectfully submitted,

G. M. KNIGHT,

Superintendent of Schools.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Herman S. Adams,
Everett W. Messer,
Willis J. Sargent,
Bennie F. Sargent,
Effie M. Bunker,
Cora E. Bunker,
Addie J. French,*
Laura J. Messer,*
Herman P. Messer,*
Lizzie E. Messer,
Bert E. Hunting,
Robert H. Ross,
Irvin S. Messer,*
Elmer E. Craft,
Eliza A. Crowley,
Winfred E. Annis,
Lucy A. Morgan,*
Mabel H. Gould,*
Mary E. Shepard,*
Elmer A. Gould,*
Frank S. Shepard,
Frank G. Gould,
Lucy M. Shepard,
Nettie A. Davis,
Addie E. Jewett,*
Abbie J. Roby,
Alice A. Messer,
Oliver M. Messer,
Mary S. Stanley,
Carrie E. Whitney,
Harry P. Craft,*
John S. Phillips,*
Herbert E. Parker,*
Clinton E. Parker,*
Frank H. Eastman,
Freddie H. Richards,*
Walter S. Whitney,
Charles Phillips,
George Richards,*
Albert Daggett.*

Name—Scholars who have not been absent or tardy during one term.

*Who have not been tardy or absent during the year.

STATISTICAL TABLE.

No. of District.	TEACHERS.	No. Weeks of school.	No. of scholars.	Average attendance.	Not attending.	No. visits Superintend'g Com.	No. visits Pru. com. and others	No. visits of citizens.	No. of pupils in Reading.	Spelling.	Writing.	Arithmetic.	Geography.	Grammar.	Algebra.	Composition.	History.	Book-keeping.	Vocal Music.
1	S. S. Knowlton,	10	14	11		2		8	14	14	6	5	4	2					
1	C. S. Averill,*	3½					1												
1	A. Jewett,	8	16	13		2			5	5	5	5	4	2					
2	C. H. Cooper,	6	16	13		2			16	13	5	12	10	5	2				
2	S. S. Knowlton,	9	17	15		2		7	22	22	12	22	9	7	1				
2	S. S. Knowlton,†	15				1													
3	A. M. Fellows,	8	32	28⅛		2		6	32	32	12	20	9	7	1	5	5		
3	A. M. Fellows,	10	27	25.6		2		23	28	28	17	20	10	7			3		
3	A. M. Fellows,	10	28	25.8		2		23	25	27	15	26	14	12			2	1	
4	S. Nelson,	10	17	17	5	2		32	17	17	9	10	9	1					
4	P. T. Smith,	12	19	18.4	12	2		16	19	19	14	15	14	7					
5	E. Wheeler,	8	38	29		2		14	37	38	26	25	20	13		13	3		
5	S. Nelson,	10	36	30		2	1	56	36	36	24	25	17	13		12	3		
5	S. Nelson,	10	33	30	2	2		26	33	33	18	25	16	13		14			
6	A. A. Colby,	9	9	8½		2	1	15	9	9	8	8	8	3			1		
6	A. A. Colby,	8	11	11		2	1	16	11	11	9	9	9	3					9
7	E. J. Davis,	10	13	12.48	1	2	1	17	13	13	13	13	5	7	2	7			11
7	A. F. Robbins,	11	18	16.68	1	2	1	33	18	18	18	18	8	10	1	15			18

*No record.
†School not through.



TOWN MEETING AND ELECTION
KEARSARGE MIDDLE SCHOOL AUDITORIUM
NEW LONDON
TUESDAY, MARCH 13, 1979

Polls Open 12 Noon
Polls Close 8 P.M.
Meeting Opens 12 Noon
Meeting will recess at 12:30 P.M.
Meeting will reconvene at 7 P.M.
Articles 2 through 45 in the Warrant
will be discussed at the 7 P.M. session

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Library
Durham, N.H.